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Visiting Lady Somerset, of England, Made a Delegate.

ALL THE OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

A Little Row Over the Report of the Temple Association on Account of the Renting of Rooms for Republican Headquarters.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 2.—Another storm thinned out the attendance at the big temperance convention yesterday, but about 1,200 ladies laid aside personal terrors of snow and slush and lent their presence to the meeting. This was the day set for the election of officers and the result was awaited with more than passing interest.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. E. Hull, president of the Florida W. C. T. U. The minutes were dispensed with. The lengthy report of the executive committee was to have been read, but before launching into a discussion the convention adopted the motion of Miss Pugh, of Chicago, that the president appoint a committee to award the prize banner at the afternoon session. Miss Willard explained that this presentation included the old original temperance banner, which had been passed, from year to year, to the state having the largest membership, and other banners made by various W. C. T. U. through out the country. The committee appointed consists of Mrs. Nichol, of New Jersey.

Continuing the interruption to the executive committee's report, Mrs Hoffman moved that Lady Somerset, who was sufficiently recovered to attend in person, be made a delegate instead of a guest. This motion was carried with applause.

The motion made at this point to purchase a diamond pin for Clifton Thorne, as a testimonial for his able work Monday night, was lost with hardly a vote in the affirmative.

Telegrams of a complimentary nature were read from J. B. Cranfull, the prohibition candidate for vice-president; John Willis Baer, the Christian Endeavorer; Neal Dow, of Portland, Me., and T. B. Granniss, of the national league.

The report of the executive committee was then read and without comment adopted.

President Willard called Lady Somerset to the chair. The latter appointed as tellers for the election Mrs. Fields, of Indiana; Mrs. Clevger, of Ohio; Mrs. Ingalls, of Missouri; Mrs Stevenson, of Massachusetts; Mrs. Bushy, of New Jersey; Mrs. Luce Conrad, Mrs Hastings, of Indiana; Mrs. Cummings, of Montana, and Mrs. Krunear, of North Dakota.

It took nearly an hour for the ballot for officers, and when the count was completed it was found that all of the old general officers had been re-elected, as follows:

Miss Frances E. Willard, president.

Mrs. A. Woodbridge, recording secretary.

Mrs. Caroline B. Buell, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. L. M. N Stevens, assistant recording secretary.

Miss Esther Pugh, treasurer.

The morning session closed with a Bible reading by Mrs. J. K. Barney, of Rhode Island, the World's evangelist.

A Row Over the Report of the Temple Association.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 2.—A woman's convention without a row would, of course, be a novelty, and the trouble in the W. C. T. U. convention yesterday afternoon originated over the report on "The Temple," by Mrs. Matilda B. Corse, president of the Temple association. And it all came about because rooms in the Temple at Chicago had been rented to the republicans for headquarters. The southern delegates were of the opinion that the Temple could be put to better use than to be turned into a recruiting place for a political party and especially the republican party, and they made some very cutting remarks.

There were a few women in the convention, however, who were republicans, and these resented the imputation cast on the party.

Peace finally reigned and the report was proceeded with. It was shown by the books of the Temple company that the rents for six months aggregated $150,000 and would probably exceed that amount hereafter. There was no doubt, Mrs. Corse said, that the company would be able to secure and hold the building. They expected before long to come into possession of the stock held by Marshall Field, amounting to $250,000.

Mrs. J. B. Hobbs, of Chicago, superintendent of the National Temperance hospital, made the report on that institution. There were 121 patients during the year, of which eighteen were men and the balance women. The death rate was 2¾ per cent. the lowest of any hospital in the United States.

The balance of the session was taken up with reports of standing committees, which were of little general interest.

The session last night was devoted to reports from state presidents and the presentation of president's prize banners.

Highway Robbery in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—John Smith was held up at an early hour yesterday morning at Tenth and St. Charles streets by Andrew Jackson, a negro. Jackson was lying in wait for some one in a passageway, and when Smith passed along he knocked him to the pavement with a rock. While Smith was down Jackson robbed him of three dollars. Smith's cries attracted the attention of Officer James Quigley, who pursued Jackson and brought him to a standstill with his revolver. A warrant was issued charging him with highway robbery.

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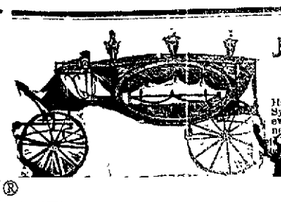

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THE NEWMAN INQUEST.

The Woman was Killed by Some Person Unknown.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—Deputy Coroner Meade closed the inquest yesterday morning in the case of Maggie Newman, the colored woman who was killed in a fusillade that followed the arrest of Lou Price at the "White House," 2739 Papin street, on October 25. The testimony taken was that of Officer Behm, who has only been able to leave his bed within the past few days. Behm told how he heard a woman's screams issuing from the "White House," and running to the spot he caught Ed Price, alias Johnson, who was hurrying away.

He took him back to the house and as they were about to enter a dark hallway the prisoner called out "Lou, he's got me." Lou Price opened the door of a room in the hallway and fired four shots one of which lodged in the officer's back. He released his prisoner and returned the fire. Ed. Johnson ran out of the house and as he did so Maggie Newman, the woman who had been screaming, fell to the floor with a bullet wound in her abdomen. Ed Johnson was caught by officers who heard the shooting and hurried to the scene. They sent the wounded officer home and the wounded woman to the hospital. She died the following day.

In the post-mortem examination the bullet which caused her death was found to be a 38-caliber, and as Officer Behm used a 41-caliber revolver it was clear his shot did not strike the woman. Lou Price's revolver was not found, and it could not be proven that he carried a 38-caliber revolver. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict saying that Maggie Newman came to her death from a gun-shot wound fired from a revolver in the hands of a person unknown to the jury.

Price will now be tried on a charge of assault to kill upon Officer Behm.

AN ALLEGED FORGERY.

A Pretty Young Widow Gets the Better of Two St. Cloud Banks.

ST CLOUD, Minn., Nov. 2.—What is said to be a successful forgery worked on two of the city banks recently came to light yesterday. About two weeks ago Mrs. Anna M. Murphy, of Tacoma, Wash., arrived in this city and registered at the Grand Central house. She soon found some of her old friends and schoolmates and to them she said that while out west she was married to a man named Murphy, at Tacoma, who had died and left her considerable property. Among her valuables she held two drafts purporting to have been issued by the National bank of Commerce of Tacoma on the First national bank of New York, for $800 and $700 respectively.

Dr. T. A. Hoyt, a friend and classmate of the lady, whose former name was McRae, gladly indorsed the said $800 draft, and the German-American national bank readily cashed it. The other check of $700 was cashed at the First national bank upon the recognition by Charles J. Methsroth, a clerk; Mrs. Murphy is rather a pretty young widow, and it required very little effort on her part to accomplish her purpose. She is a stepdaughter of ex-Senator McRae, of Otter Tail county, a good talker and only 23 years old. Mrs. Murphy is supposed to have gone east.

AFRAID OF THE INDIANS.

Significant Letter From a Settler on the Ute Reservation.

GRAND JUNCTION, Col., Nov 2.—That the white settlers near the Uncompahgre Ute reservation are alarmed over the removal of the troops from Fort Duchesne is evident from the following letter received by a gentleman in this city:

On November 15 the remaining troops now stationed at the fort will be removed to Fort Logan, and then about 3,000 people in Ashley valley will be at the mercy of at least 5,000 bloodthirsty, pilfering Utes. The settlers are alarmed and do not understand just why this move is made, but the Indians are already getting stubborn, and only a few days ago two bucks stopped broadside in the road and forced a ranchman to drive around them. It is getting a little late in the season for them to don the war paint, but look out when grass comes in the spring. The Meeker and Thornburg affairs will be repeated.

The writer is on the ground, and is a man who knows what he is talking about.

Fusion and Confusion in South Dakota.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Nov. 2.—The democratic leaders of South Dakota have finally shown their hand in a request to all members of that party to cast their votes for the Weaver electors. Democrats here have been given the tip in the past twenty-four hours and dispatches from Huron, Pierre and Millbank say that such an arrangement has been entered into in those cities. There is also an agreement on state officers and congressmen. The democrats are to support their independent candidates for congressmen and governor and the democrats have the other state officers.

The vote of the state two years ago was: Republican 85,000, alliance 25,000, and democratic 18,000. If the agreement is faithfully kept, the independent electors may win, but the republicans claim at least 10,000 democrats who insist on voting for Cleveland. It looks to-night as though the party which wins will not have a majority of more than 1,000 to 2,000.

Successful Bank Robbery.

DODGE CITY, Kan., Nov. 2.—Yesterday afternoon masked men robbed the bank at Spearville, a few miles east of here. They entered the bank, covered the cashier with their revolvers and took the money that was in sight, about $1,000. Retreating from the bank, they fled in a southwesterly direction. Armed men were quickly mounted and on their track. It is thought that they are making for the Arkansas river and that they will be overtaken.

Kindled His Own Funeral Pyre.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 2.—A special to the News from South Bend, Ind., says: Michael Henske, while kindling a fire in the kitchen stove, used kerosene. There was an explosion, and Henske was burned to death before relief arrived.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Forest fires continue to rage along the Ohio river in Allegheny county, Pa.

—The prosecution closed and the defense opened in the Iams case at Pittsburgh yesterday.

—Order has been completely restored in the city of Santiago del Estero, the rebels having been disarmed by the federal troops.

—Alexander Von Deegan, formerly of Chicago, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in Milwaukee yesterday for bigamy.

—Two brothers named Burgess charged with murder were taken from the jail at Lebanon, Va., handcuffed together, hanged and riddled with bullets.

—James W. Leeds a convict who tried to break jail at Elizabethport, N. J., Friday, made another and successful attempt about 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

—Recorder of Votes Carlisle of St. Louis says the registration laws of that city are a bungle, under which an angel could neither do justice nor give satisfaction.

—A steam pipe on the tug Col. B. B. Grubb, lying at the foot of Summit street, Brooklyn, burst, yesterday, fatally scalding William Butz, A. Walters and William Gilson.

—The United States coast survey steamer Gedney went on a reef at Portier Pass, Canoe Island, yesterday. The steamer Active went to her assistance, but failed to get her off.

—Hon. John D. Washburn, of Worcester, Mass., envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Switzerland, has sent his resignation to the president.

—The 650 Big Four telegraph operators will wait until December 1 for Superintendent Peck's answer to their demand for a decrease of hours and an increase of pay before striking.

—An American woman showing every symptom of leprosy has been admitted to the municipal hospital of Philadelphia where she will probably remain in close confinement until she dies.

—While oiling the journals at the Horton Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Fort Wayne, Ind., yesterday, James McMillan was caught by his clothing in the gearing of the shafting and whirled to death.

—The eight colored prisoners who were convicted of the murder of Dr. James H. Hill, near Millington, Md., last April, were yesterday sentenced to be hanged at such time as Gov. Brown appoints.

—It seems that nobody is responsible for the killing of Marshall Broderick by a detail of soldiers during the late switchmen's strike at Buffalo, N. Y., except the young soldier who fired the fatal shot, and he is unknown.

—Capt C. J. Iredell, of Norfolk, Va., was arraigned before a trial justice at Columbia, S C., yesterday, charged with embezzling funds of the bank to the amount of $25,000. He gave bond for his appearance in court next March.

—Mrs. Hannah Andrews, aged 73 years, was burned to death Monday evening in her house near Batesville, Ind. In her enfeebled condition the old lady got too near the fire when her clothing ignited and she died in a few minutes.

—Southern France and the district of Andalusia, in Spain, were visited by a storm of unprecedented severity Monday. Rain flooded many places and the wind caused much destruction of property and injury to human beings.

—A five-story tenement house, 357 East Thirty-first street, New York, was completely gutted by fire at an early hour yesterday. The nineteen families who occupied the building all escaped in safety, many of them in their night clothes.

—Mrs. Mary B. Marean was taken before Judge Almy at East Cambridge, Mass., yesterday, charged with the murder of her aged mother. The case was continued until Saturday next and the prisoner was committed to jail without bail.

—The members of the Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia emphatically deny the story published in a New York paper to the effect that the club had helped in the raising of $1,000,000 for the republican campaign fund. Neither Mr. Carnegie nor Mr Frick has given a cent.

—It is the general impression in England that the chances for the release of Dr Gallagher, Curtin and other dynamiters, in remote. It is pretty certain, however, that the appeal from Washington will cause a relaxation in the discipline to which these prisoners are subjected.

—The crew of the American bark Cawdor, which arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., Saturday, without clearance papers, and having lost two men on the voyage from cholera, have been transferred to the quarantine stockade. The bark left in charge of Capt Miller and a mate.

—The supreme court, at Ottawa, Ill., in its opinion handed down in the O'Sullivan case—in which the living Cronin murderers and their friends sought to have judgment entered, notwithstanding the death of O'Sullivan—yesterday, and declared the motion overruled and the writ of error abated.

—While a funeral procession was crossing a bridge over Oil creek, ten miles from English, Ind., Monday afternoon, the bridge gave way and precipitated seven two-horse carriages into the creek. Anthony Robertson had his collar bone and right arm broken, and Thomas Hathbone suffered the dislocation of a hip. Three horses had to be shot.

NEBRASKA'S CONGRESSMEN.

An Effort to Secure Increased Representation Under the Last Census.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 2.—John N. Comlein appeared in the supreme court yesterday morning with a petition for a mandamus compelling Gov. Boyd to issue a proclamation calling for the election of congressmen-at-large to fill vacancies alleged to exist. Comlein alleges that under the census of 1890 Nebraska is entitled to six congressmen, whereas the state apportionment law does not give the state full representation until March 3, 1893. His position is that congress has no power to postpone Nebraska's representation until March, 1893; that Nebraska is entitled to full representation at the earliest possible moment after promulgation of the census, and that there are three vacancies which should be filled at once by special election.

The governor referred the matter to Attorney-General Hastings, whose opinion was adverse to Comlein. The governor joins with Comlein in asking the supreme court for a solution of the difficulty.

LOST ON LAKE MICHIGAN.

A Large Steamer and a Schooner Wrecked and Their Crews Lost.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—The great gale of last Friday and Saturday wrecked a large steamer and a schooner near South Manitou island, at the foot of Lake Michigan, and it is almost certain that the crews of both boats were lost.

The steamer foundered near the island, while the schooner was cast almost bottomside up far upon the beach. The name of neither boat can yet be learned, as the gale, followed so closely by another, this time from the east, has demoralized shipping, and it is too soon as yet to determine what boats are missing.

The wrecks are reported by Capt. Dennis of the schooner John Shaw, which reached Chicago in tow of the steamer John F. Eddy, yesterday afternoon. The Shaw and Eddy had weathered the gale at anchor under the Manitous.

A Cholera Scare.

A reported outbreak of cholera at Helmetta, N. J., created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helmetta, says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa remedy has given great satisfaction is the most severe cases of dysentery. It is certainly one of the best things ever made." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists.

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A GENERAL STRIKE

Ordered by the United Trades of New Orleans.

COMMERCE ABSOLUTELY PARALYZED.

The Strike Inaugurated to Enforce the Recognition by the Merchants of the Crescent City of the Trades Organizations.

New Orleans Threatened With a General Strike.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1.—A general strike in every line of trade, that will absolutely paralyze the commerce of this city, is threatened. The various labor organizations were in session all last night, the executive committee not completing its session until daylight this morning. The council decided to allow the merchants until nightfall to-day to recognize the unions. If the desired concession is not forthcoming by that time every one of the sixty-five unions in the city will order out its members to-morrow morning.

If the strike is ordered every newspaper in the city with one exception will be compelled to suspend publication. The council claims that 25,000 men will quit work to-morrow if the strike is ordered. If the merchants signify a willingness to arbitrate the dispute between them and the draymen and warehousemen, the strikers will resume work pending arbitration. The merchants thus far seem disposed to stand firm and make no concessions.

A General Strike Ordered.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 2.—A general strike was ordered by all the trades' union organizations of this city at 12:30 o'clock this morning, taking effect today. A meeting of all the parties concerned is now (3 a. m.) being held in the board of trade, and the affair may be settled before morning. Every business man in the city is directly interested in the movement which is now on. The strike is the result of the merchants' refusal to recognize the labor organizations.

The amalgated council composed of sixty-seven bodies of the American Federation of Labor, decided this morning to order out every organization in the city.

The local typographical union has taken part in the strike and notice has been served on the various newspapers in the city that the men would walk out after their work this morning.

The levees, steamboat landings and railroad depots are crowded with freight, and should a general strike take place it will absolutely paralyze the city's commerce and throw out of employment between 25,000 and 30,000 men.

NO SURRENDER.

Chicago Merchants Combine to Fight the Sugar Trust.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—New York and Philadelphia may surrender to the sugar trust, but the World's fair city will not be bulldozed worth a cent. At least that was the purport of the decision reached at a meeting of the large wholesale grocers in this city. The meeting was held on the request of Mr. W. F. Osborn, the New York representative of the American sugar trust. The plan proposed by Mr. Osborn was the one known as the "equality and rebate plan," and after a half hour's deliberation it was unanimously rejected. The plain English of the attitude of Chicago's wholesale grocers is that they do not intend being dictated to by the sugar trust. If they want to buy sugar at five cents and sell for four cents it is their business, and is no concern of the sugar trust or anyone else.

The "equality and rebate plan" was proposed at the meeting of national grocers in New York last June and would have been adopted had it not been for the active opposition of Chicago, supplemented by nearly all the leading houses in Milwaukee, Detroit, Kansas City and St. Joseph. St. Louis and a few other southern points were in favor of it, but it was temporarily shelved. The meeting had no sooner adjourned than sly work was begun by the trust, and its friends to work the opposition over to the scheme, and a few weeks ago a very ingenious circular was sent out, confidentially, to the wholesale grocers. It is ingenious because it evades the anti-trust law of Missouri by claiming it would promote competition and at the same time containing the outline of a plan that would totally destroy all competition and put the sugar trade entirely in the hands of the trust, with power to dictate price and limit the output.

A WONDERFUL CASE

Stabbed to the Heart and Recovered—A Strange Decision.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—George Goabout, brother of the notorious Tom Goabout, who was stabbed to the heart on September 20 and recovered, was in the court of criminal correction yesterday morning to prosecute Harrison Taylor, the man who cut him. According to the story told on the witness stand Goabout attacked Taylor on a street car, claiming Taylor struck his sister. In the scuffle Taylor drew a knife and buried it in Goabout's left breast. At the hospital Dr. Marks found the blade had penetrated the heart. He gave Goabout no hope of recovery, but bandaged the wound and commanded him to lie still for a week. No food was given him during that time, and at the end of a week after the bandages were removed the wound in the heart was healed. Not long ago Goabout was discharged by Dr. Marks as cured. His case will go on record as one of a remarkable recovery which may not occur once in a million times. At the conclusion of the trial yesterday Judge Claiborne said he would discharge Taylor as he was severely provoked when he did the cutting.

Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrah or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon. For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

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A REMARKABLE CASE

Of Lockjaw Without Previous Bodily Injury to Cause It.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—A case of tetanus or lockjaw of a nature heretofore supposed to be confined exclusively to tropical countries, is developing at the city hospital. It is that of Patient Frank Degaw, in the ninth division, whose entrance to the hospital about a week ago brought up a problem for Dr. Marks to solve. The problem was as to whether Degaw was threatened with spinal meningitis or tetanus. The man at first complained only of a pain in the back, and thought he must have sprained his back while doing carpenter work. After his arrival at the hospital Degaw's spine became curved, bending his body almost like a bow, with the muscles of the back and abdomen rigid and hard, and the left leg stiff and immovable. He also suffered some pain in the spine. Those symptoms, as far as they went, were those of spinal meningitis, but more important symtoms of that disease were lacking. With that condition of the spine, a sufferer from spinal meningitis would have been delirious and there would have been a marked elevation of temperature and an eruption of the skin below and around the lips. None of these were present. The only other diagnosis possible was that of tetanus, and to this belief Dr. Marks inclined, although until yesterday the undoubted symtoms of tetanus had not developed. A fact also making that diagnosis of the case a rather daring decision was that Degaw stated positively that he had met with no injury that could have caused lockjaw.

But yesterday afternoon the unmistakable symptoms of tetanus made their appearance. The tonic, or continuous, contraction of the muscles was reinforced by clonic, or paroxysmal, contractions, during which the patient would shriek with agony. A stiffening of the muscles of the jaws and face was also noticed, growing in intensity until Degaw could barely open his mouth. As soon as these new developments made their appearance the treatment proper for tetanus, or lockjaw, was at once begun, and to-day the patient is somewhat better, but not out of danger. Dr. Marks states that a case of lockjaw without the existence of some injury to have caused it as a remarkable medical case and possessed of the deepest professional interest. He says that tetanus sometimes so develops in the tropical countries, where the sun's heat has an effect on the spine that causes the disease to develop, but that in all countries in the temperate zone it has been supposed that lockjaw could only arise from some injury that the human body had undergone, independent of the ordinary development of the disease. Degaw's case is being closely watched.

The Oregon Cleveland Electors Ordered Withdrawn.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 2.—Instructions have been received by telegraph from the national democratic headquarters to withdraw the Cleveland electors, in favor of the Weaver one. This action meets the approval of democrats here and they claim that it assures the defeat of the Harrison electors.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

BLUE MOUND.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather about one hundred and fifty Republicans and a few Democrats turned out to hear J. M. Clokey at Joe Miller's hall last night, and the general remark of Republicans is that it was the fairest and best presentation of the principles of the Republican and Democrat parties ever presented to a blue Mound audience, and it is believed that a few Democrats who have been almost persuaded as to the righteousness of the Republican doctrine of protection, were thoroughly convinced by this speech that it is the thing for this country and will prove their faith by voting for Harrison and Reid next Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Hershey, aged 74 years, died of paralysis of the bowels at her residence near Morgansville Tuesday.

J. B. Beckett moved from his farm to his new residence here in town yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Thompson, three miles northwest of town, is very low with some disease of the lungs and will probably never recover.

The hoodlums of the town had their usual amount of fun Hallowe'en, obstructing the doors of business houses with boxes, beer kegs, &c., and giving the owners of the buildings the consequent trouble resulting from the heathenish practice by removing the obstructions next morning. It.

Nov. 2, 1892.

BRAINSDALE.

Weather rainy and cool. Farmers busy husking corn when the weather permits.

Watch for the election, it will soon be here, and hurrah for Harrison.

Miss Jessie Hays, of Decatur, has been visiting relatives at this place.

There was an oyster supper at Tom Pharis' last night.

Miss Geathus, of Springfield is visiting at her uncle's, Capt. Taggart.

Misses Jessie Hays, Lulu Taggart and Miss Geathers visited with Myrtle Newman last Friday.

Mrs. Hastings was buried at Boiling Springs Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baum spent Sunday near Blorm, and on returning home met with an accident by some one running into their buggy. No one was hurt but the buggy was wrecked. It was done by the St. Louis bridge and caused by a train.

Mrs. Keagy and son, Oath, of Macon, visited her son Ira of this place.

Miss Lulu Taggart spent Sunday at home in Decatur.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV 2, 1892.

CLEVELAND has decided to take the stump in his own interest He will dodge the Democratic tariff plank and also the wild cat plank of the Democratic party In these respects he is either ashamed of his party or else is trying to fool the people

JUDGES of election in times past have appeared at the polls on the morning of election many times after the hour when votes should have been received This year any judge of election who fails to be on hand and ready to receive votes promptly at 7 o'clock—and that is an early hour—will be subject to a heavy fine The polls must be opened at 7 o'clock a m and closed at 5 o'clock p m

"The Tariff is a Tax"

"The tariff is a tax' says the free trade demagogue, and yet no free trader has ever been able to prove the statement to be true as to a protective tariff If the European manufacturer, when he has a monopoly of this market on any article of manufacture, never charged more than a reasonable profit, above the cost of production, to the American consumer, there might be truth in the allegation But the contrary is true When he monopolized this market the foreign importer always charged our people large profits hence whenever a protective tariff has intervened to put our own people to manufacturing the goods we had been buying abroad, the result has been a reduction in prices because of the competition created by starting up the industry here Free trade never starts industries here It leaves the foreign monopolist to rob our people

These are facts which cannot be fairly disputed, and in spite of them whenever the protectionist steps in and establishes by a tariff competing industries, no matter how much the prices of manufactures may have been reduced thereby, the free trader at once begins his howl that the tariff is a tax paid by the consumer and assumes that the amount of the tariff is added to the price of the article, he also demands the repeal of the tariff, which is equivalent to insisting that our people shall again be put at the mercy of the foreign manufacturer

The free trader is at this time demonstrating his false assumption in relation to the duty on tin plate by which our people are building up this industry They have put out in the interest of the election of Cleveland and Stevenson some foreign tin plate 3x4 inches bearing the pictures of these two gentlemen, who are candidates upon a false theory, and on the reverse side of these plates is printed a lot of rot intended to secure the votes of the people to free trade and to break down the effort to manufacture our own tin plate On one of these plates the following statement is made

This card is made of imported tin plate It weighs 100 pounds per box and sells in New York City for $5 20 out of this amount the United States government receives $2 20 by virtue of the McKinley tariff therefore without duty it is sold for $3 00 per box The consumer pays $5 20 per box

Here we have a complete exposure of the fallacy of the free traders theory Before the duty on tin took effect English monopolists charged our American consumers $5.50 cents a box for this grade of tin If they can lay this tin down at New York duty free for $3 00 then they were robbing the American people to the amount of $2 50 on every box of tin of this brand that we bought If this is true then it is a fact as protectionists claim that when Europe has a monopoly of this market they rob our people, according to their own figures this grade of tin has declined since the McKinley tariff went into effect 39 cents a box But in spite of the fact that this competition has forced English tin down the "reformer" howls the tariff is a tax which robs us of $2 20 on every box of tin The American plate is sold for still less than this English grade

Election Frauds

It makes one just a trifle weary to read, as those who read the Decatur *Review* this morning have done, the Democratic wail about the danger of the Republicans buying the election

In the light of the fact, that, were it not for the intimidation and frauds of the ballot box in the south, perpetrated by the democrats by which means the south has been made solid for the Democratic party, that party would not have the remotest chance to elect a president, and in the light of the fact that under the operation of the Federal Election law in 1872, 40 000 fraudulent democratic votes were found in New York City, which fact was admitted by "Sunset" Cox in a speech in Congress, and in the light of the fact that thirty eight democrats are now in the New Jersey state penitentiary, who were found guilty of fraud at elections in that state, and in view of the fact that Joe Mackin, a democrat in our own state, and secretary of a Democratic committee, served in the penitentiary in this state on account of altering the returns of an election for a state senator, and in view of the fact that today a number of democratic politicians are now under arrest in Chicago and New York for frauds upon the registry of voters, and in view of the fact, that, right here at home, a Democrat has been tried and convicted of fraud at a township election and in view of the fact that a millionaire candidate for governor, through the committee of his party, has raised a corruption fund with the intention of purchasing voters to stay from the polls in order to secure his election, and in view of the fact that a Democratic scheme to carry the state of Indiana by fraud has been discovered and exposed, it is simply disgusting to see Democratic leaders as in the case of the Decatur *Review* holding up would be holy hands and charging fraud upon the Republican party, a party that furnishes no examples to the penitentiaries, or to the country, of men who have no regard for the purity of the ballot

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MRS JOHN W. FOSTER has contributed papers on "The Ancient Ruins of Mexico" to the Women's Anthropological Society at Washington

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The feebler the constitution, the more susceptible the system is to the causes of disease, and the less competent it is to struggle with sickness Hence where there is a deficiency of natural stamina the physique should be protected and strengthened by the best invigorant that nature produced Insist on your druggist or dealer giving you "Royal Ruby" Port Wine accept no substitute "just as good" which they may offer you

The pure Oporto grape juice, old rich and mellow, has that fruity taste so seldom found no matter what price is paid. Quart bottles $1 00, pints 60 cts Sold and guaranteed by Dr A J. Stoner, druggist

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MISS IDA SHERMAN of Charlotte, Mich, was consecrated to the Baptist ministry, with appropriate ceremonies, on a recent Sunday morning In the evening she preached acceptably in the same church

Had Not Slept For Years.

Mr A Jackson, an old resident of Rusk, Texas, and manager of the magnificent new Hotel at Rusk, informs us he had not slept at night for years except in short naps, owing to incessant coughing He was advised when very much run down to try Ballard's Horehound Syrup, he was immediately relieved of his Cough and his rest improved to such a degree that he could sleep soundly all night, Mr Jackson states "I regard Ballard's Horehound Syrup superior to any Cough Syrup on the market, and its freedom from opium and morphine leave no constipation after using it For this reason alone I consider it the best Cough Syrup in the world for children My lungs are now stronger than they have been for years This Syrup is very soothing to the throat and lungs" Sold by Swearingen & Tyler 1d&w

ONE day last week the sixth wife of John Kingsley of Lost Creek Carter county, Ky presented him with his sixty first child Of these fifty are living and forty six are married.

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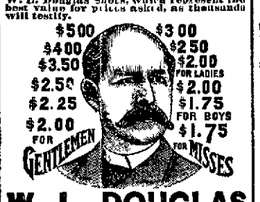

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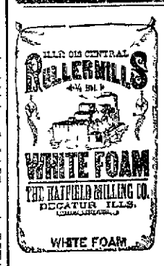

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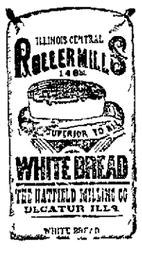

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GENTLEMEN: We have just received 25 Dozen HANAN'S FINEST SHOES, in French Calf and Enameled Calf; all the New Styles in Heavy and Light Soles.

BEWARE!

Some unscrupulous dealers may claim to sell shoes just as good as Hanan's---THERE IS NO JUST AS GOOD.

TAKE CARE!

POWERS' SHOE STORE.

HIGHWAY NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur township Macon county state of Illinois on the

4th Day of November, A D 1892,

for graveling East William street and grading and macadamizing Gaddis Lane and filling the gap in the top of the hill at Mosher's pond Additional specifications of the road to be graveled are as follows The road to be graveled shall be 16 feet wide the gravel to be laid on in the center and 8 inches deep at the side of the road the gravel to be free from dirt and to be hauled in the wagons on the road The same to be let by contract by public letting to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of 1 o clock p m, at the Town Clerk's office in Decatur, Ill The work to be completed by the 15th day of December, A D 1892

Dated at Decatur Ill, this 24th day of October A D 1892.

C M CALDWELL,
DANIEL WHITSEL,
Commissioners of Highways

oct25-d10t

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of William Clark, Deceased

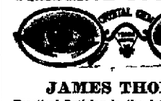
The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of William Clark, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1892

MARY A. CLARK Executrix

BUNN & PARK, Attorneys oct25-d4t

PRESERVE YOUR EYES



JAMES THOMAS,

Practical Optician in the detection and correction of all visual imperfections by the proper adjustment of spectacles.

Office 323 North Water street, opposite Presbyterian church.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for paving and improving North Morgan street in the city of Decatur in Macon county Illinois from the north line of Mason street, south to the north rail of the railway track situated and located at north end of said street is now located, upon the right of way of the Wabash railway company in strict conformity according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur on the seventeenth day of October, A D 1892 will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o clock p m of Monday the 7th day of November, A D 1892 for the paving and improving of said portion of said street including labor, material and all other matters necessary to make the same

All bidders will be required to furnish six samples each of the top and bottom brick to be used in paving before the bid will be considered The quality of the material with the price per square yard will be considered together in determining the lowest and best bidder All samples of brick to be used shall be filed with the city clerk and properly designated

A bond or certified check in the sum of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid

All bids will be submitted to the city council which conform to all requirements and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated October 18 A D 1892

F J SHELLEY, City Clerk

Administrator's Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction at the west door of the court house, Decatur, Illinois,

Saturday, the 5th day of November next,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a m and 5 p. m. the personal property belonging to the estate of Robert Green, deceased, consisting in part of the following articles, to-wit "Harper's Weekly," bound and unbound from and including A. D. 1860 to July 23 1892, some old clothes, hats and caps, bed and bedding, bedstead and springs, two sewing machines, oil stove and old cooking utensils

TERMS OF SALE—Cash.

JEROME B. GORIN,
Administrator Estate Robert Green, Deceased
Decatur, Illinois, October 7, 1892.-d&w

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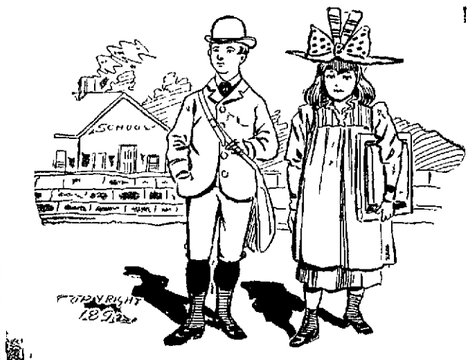

MAKING TRACKS FOR SCHOOL.

That's what the boys and girls of Decatur and vicinity are doing now and during the rainy weather and muddy streets common at this time of the year, they need a first-class article in foot-wear to meet the emergency. Our school shoes are durable, waterproof, well-fitting, warm and comfortable. Try them. From 75c to $2.00 a pair.

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Soft Coal Line that Knocks the Oak Out.

Positively Air-Tight.
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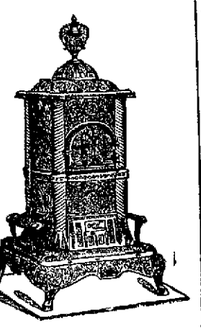

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

TO-NIGHT—"Spider and Fly."

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417.

Try Powers for Good Boys' Shoes.

THE Grand Army Post held it regular meeting last night.

Save 10 to 25 per cent on underwear at Anthony & Webb's.

FINEST FRUITS in the city for canning or table use at John Finn's sept29-dtf

Now is the time to buy blankets cheap ANTHONY & WEBB

THE line of march for Saturday night appears in another column. It will not be changed.

WE have only a few more of those fine trunks left. The price makes them go. c21dtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

You will always find good groceries at Philip Kemper's store on North Water street. No. 757

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Waigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

You know it. "The Spider and the Fly" will be at the Grand to-morrow night

THOSE who have failed to register may swear in their votes on election day if they are legal voters.

FRESH OYSTERS, in bulk or can, direct from Baltimore, at John Finn's. Telephone 241 sept29-dtf

THE Salvation Army people are arranging to hold a state convention in Decatur on November 15 and 16

SELECT family groceries and fresh country butter at Hanks & Co's handy store, 143 South Water street

DON'T FAIL to see the line of Hats which we are closing out this week without regard to cost. CHEAP CHARLEY.

REMEMBER the parade Nov 5, and get your lanterns, flags and colored fires of the H. Mueller Gun Co. 1 d6t

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices dtf

HARRISON and Cleveland flags all sizes cheaper than ever to close out stock. H Mueller Gun Co. 1-d6t

Don't forget to attend the Plumber's Ball election night, Nov 8. Goodman's full band and opera orchestra in attendance. 1-d6

AN elegant line of canned goods, fresh butter and eggs on sale every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in the Syndicate Block dtf

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders s8dtf

IN Justice Hammer's court last evening in the civil case of George K Morgan vs. J C Hines & Co for $51 debt, the suit was dismissed. An appeal will probably result

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

ARE you thinking of buying a suit or overcoat? If so, don't buy before you have seen what Cheap Charley has in store for you.

THERE are no better pianos on earth than the celebrated Haines Uprights, the Everetts and Sterlings, on sale only at C. B Prescott's music store on North Water street

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company has been moved to No 250 North Main street, Syndicate Block with Armstrong Bros. d6t

THE Democratic clubs will go to Ninnie to-night. The speakers will be Hardin W. Masters of Chicago, J. M Graham of Springfield, and L. B Stringer of Lincoln.

GENT'S Neckwear, Gent's Woolen Shirts, Gent's Underwear, Suspenders and Half Hose, all at reasonable prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

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CHOICE apples, peaches and grapes can be had in any quantity at May & Churchman's model grocery store in the Syndicate Block, North Main street. 27-dtf

MOTHERS, don't dress your child in cheap, shoddy clothing, when you can buy all-wool suits at Cheap Charley's for what other dealers charge for shoddy.

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS—the newest improved patterns, and the most reliable sweepers in the market—for sale at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s d&w

POINTED evidence of the growth of the J L Thayer steel roofing business is the fact that a large addition is being built to the factory, giving more floor space and utilizing part of the old building for machinery and storage. Mr Thayer has managed the new industry wisely and well. It is a success

J. J. Jacobs has a first-class barber shop and bath rooms, first door east of Dr. Stoner's drug store on South Park street, where excellent service will be given the public at all times. Give Mr. Jacobs a call for a good shave or haircut. jun14-dtf

OWING to the rain and mud the Republican meeting booked for last night in Austin township was postponed. The speakers were to have been I. R. Mills and W. F. Calhoun. In order to have reached the place of meeting they would have had to ride across the country from Latham seven miles.

SOCIALLY.

Two Delightful Gatherings Last Evening.

The members of the Fortnightly Club were entertained in a most hospitable manner last evening by Miss Ella Race at her home on North Water street. Drive Whist was the diversion of the evening. There were souvenirs of different colors, and as each point was won small silver and gold bells were hung on these souvenirs. The ladies' prize was a silver cologne bottle. The one offered the gentlemen was a silver photograph frame. There were on each table flowers which were given as favors. At 10 30 a dainty collation was served on the card tables. It included salads, coffee, ices, cream and cake. The tables were artistically decorated with different colored flowers, and partners were selected by means of little rings tied with ribbons to match the flowers. The young ladies composing the club are Misses Sarah and Louie Boyd, Afethea Fuller, Durfee, Mabel Durfee, Howell, Luetta Ullrich, Eyman, Marian Ewing, Voorhies, Race. There were invited last night as guests of the club Miss Moses and Miss Ethel Moses, of St. Louis; Messrs and Mesdames G D. Thomas, L. L Race, Dr William Barnes, Frank Curtis; and L. E. Eyman, G. J Parke, E. G Powers, F Powers, H. L. Oldham, W S Ennis, J. T. Roberts, H L. Prather, H. L. Broughton of St. Louis, J W. Race, jr, Will Linn, B Bradley, A C. Rice, L C Shellabarger.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Miss Margaret Roberts gave a New England Hallowe'en party last night in honor of Miss Vance of New York. The word New England in the name of the party is intended to convey the idea of old fashioned. Instead of gas, candles were used. After the company had assembled, the gentlemen and ladies in separate rooms, partners were selected by choosing flowers from large clusters in two different bowls. There were just two roses, two violets, and so on. Then there were snuggings in couples for favors, fortune telling, old fashioned dances, and other amusements that our grandmothers enjoyed, and some they did not know of. Supper was served at 10 30. First came pumpkin pie, followed by doughnuts and coffee, apples and nuts. The apple seeds were all carefully saved and used to unveil the future. The parlors were decorated with chrysanthemums. The guests were Misses Vance, of New York, Lucy Roberts, Annie Rainey, Eve Hammer, Anna Strohm, Bess Voorhies, Carrie Griswold, Grace Shellabarger, Lola Montgomery, Eugenia Harris, Alice Bering, Nell Schroeder, Josie Harwood, Kate Harwood; Messrs. Leo Heilbrun, Dr J. D Moore, Mr. Parker, Thad Schroeder, Bob Hays, Will Rammer, Will Pluck, Murray Milliken, Joe Perkins, Kyle Bohon, Linn Blackstone, Lute Shellabarger, Dr J W McKinnon and Dick Roberts

Worth Remembering

If Cleveland is elected the Democrats will also elect both branches of Congress and will then be able to tear the protective tariff to pieces at their own will. Every voter should remember this and not vote thinking that the senate will be Republican and that, therefore, the Democrats could not pass a free trade tariff law. Workingmen and mechanics who receive work on account of the demand created for labor by protection which increases business, should bear this in mind. They should also remember that up to date no democratic orator, no democratic newspaper, nor Grover Cleveland, nor Adlai E Stevenson has yet explained how free trade, which is intended to open our market to foreign goods, made by foreign labor which American labor is now making for this market will benefit the American laboring man, or why such a policy can be enforced without throwing our workmen out of employment. Free trade has always made idle American workmen and it always will. It has always made hard times and has always increased the price of the necessaries of life, and will do it again if adopted.

Under Control Again

Last night Officer Williamson was called to the corner of East Wood and Broadway to take charge of Carl Freundt, the cigarmaker, who has been in custody on a former occasion, for beating his wife. He repeatedly whipped her, and was finally charged with insanity. He was tried but the jury pronounced him sound, and after remaining in jail he was discharged. He became unruly last night and assaulted his wife and daughter. Then he was in the act throwing his wife and child through a window, when neighbors interfered and Williamson was called. Freundt was found wrapped in a quilt and lying upon the floor. He was almost carried to the jail. He claimed to be ill. It is generally understood that Freundt is off mentally and should be given skilled treatment. Another inquisition may be held

Normal Will Be In It

Normal will send a big delegation to Decatur Saturday night, to unite with the Bloomington crowd. Normal Republicans have displayed a most commendable enthusiasm throughout the campaign, and they expect to make their last begira the largest. A low excursion rate will be secured and plenty of fine music will be taken along.—*Bloomington Leader*

Winter is Coming.

Wild geese are flying south. A large and vociferous flock were seen passing over the city this morning, making a bee line for the sunny lands. This is generally regarded as a sure sign of the approach of cold weather, and if it is to be interpreted literally it would seem to show that an early winter is imminent.

Irish

Belleek in all the new and fancy shapes of cups and saucers, bonbon trays, individual salts, pitchers, sugars, creamers etc. We want you to see this line. They are beautiful goods and are selling rapidly E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

On Record.

To satisfy ourselves and others of the actual value of Powers' $3 Gentlemen's Fine Shoes we sent a pair to the shoe factory. Mr. Hoover and his head cutter report, after examination, that better shoes for service cannot be produced for $6.00. Oct. 21-d&wtf

We Clean

And repair furnaces and put them in first-class shape for the winter.
LITTLE & ECKLES HARDWARE CO.
s8-d&wtf

REGISTRATION 5748.

There will be a Big Vote on Tuesday, November 8.

The Figures by Districts in Decatur Township—Big Increase

The judges of election in the eleven districts of Decatur township continued business yesterday, the second and last day for registration, until 9 o'clock at night, and the total registration is 5748, an increase of 1628 over the presidential vote in Decatur in 1888. The registration by districts was as follows, the first column giving the 1892 registration, the second column the number of women registered, and the other two columns the vote in '88 and '90:

	Total	Women	1888	1890
First	619	32	287	325
Second	345	11	205	303
Third	700	37	410	415
Fourth	703	90	404	445
Fifth	599	35	428	423
Sixth	414	19	310	336
Seventh	423	18	327	340
Eighth	482	28	350	339
Ninth	789	16	447	490
Tenth	463	17	337	275
Eleventh	352	15	270	232
Totals	5748	299	3821	3829

Still it is known that a number of voters in each district did not have their names put on the poll books. They will have to swear in their votes on election day.

On this registration on the basis of estimates made by Charles O Ebel, publisher of the city directory, Decatur has a population to-day of nearly 26,000

County Clerk Hardy has sent off after more booths to be used at the polling places. In the ninth district eight booths will be required

That Birthday Voter.

A Decatur morning paper states that a young man whose 21st birthday comes the day after election cannot vote at the coming election. This is incorrect and misleading. The facts are that one under those conditions is entitled to vote. The courts have so held universally and always. Following is a sample of these decisions.

"Full age is attained on the beginning of the day next preceding the twenty-first anniversary of birth. Thus, if a person were born at any hour on the first day of January A. D 1801 (even a few minutes before 12 o'clock of the night of that day), he would be of full age at the first instant of the 31st of December A D 1821 although nearly forty-eight hours before he had actually attained the full age of 21 according to years, days, hours and minutes, because there is not in law, in this respect, any fraction of a day, and it is the same thing whether a thing is done upon one moment of a day or another.—*American and English Encyclopaedia of Law vol 10, p 614 and authorities there cited, also Bouvier's Law Dictionary vol 1, p 705*

Haverly's Minstrels.

Since the earliest history of the natives of Africa they have been conceded to be the most comical combination of wit, comicality and song of any discovered nation, but to discover white-faced comedians capable of impersonating these curious people in word, action and song has been an achievement hard to realize. That such men can be found though has been proven by Col. J H. Haverly, who succeeded in forming such a company of gentlemen some twelve years ago, and that the public are pleased with his choice is evinced by the large business he has done with the organization both in this country and in Europe. The people of Decatur are to have an opportunity of witnessing this great company of artists at the Grand on Friday night. Many novel ties will be introduced at the performance. Haverly always presents new features, new jokes and new songs.

Woman's Club.

The Evening Division of the Woman's Club invites all members of the club to spend Friday evening, Nov 4th, with Whittier and them. The regular business meeting of the club will be held on Saturday, Nov 5, at 2 30 p m. A proposed amendment to the constitution is to be considered, also the feasibility of a course of University Extension lectures. A full attendance is desired

MRS R G WELLS, Pres't
MRS E C PHILBROOK, Sec 2-d2

The Sunday Concert.

Tickets are going rapidly for the concert treat to be given at the Grand next Sunday afternoon by 100 talented musicians forming the incomparable Gilmore Band. The splendid organization will arrive from Freeport, Ill, 175 miles away, Sunday forenoon, and the music will be heard at 2 p m Sunday. Plan to hear the music and the singing by the vocalist. See ad for prices

Reciprocity

is a fair exchange in which neither party has any advantage over the other. This is our position with you. We will give you your money's worth in anything you buy from us. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

"That Boy of Mine"

Prof Vaught, the great phrenologist can tell you how to govern him and what to educate him for. Office 107, West Side Lincoln Square novl-d1w

To Whom it May Concern

I, A M Priest, on October 31, 1892, will start a team for hauling coal through my agent, John Priest 29-1w*

A Cholera Scare.

A reported outbreak of cholera at Helmetta, N. J, created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helmetta, says "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa remedy has given great satisfaction in the most severe cases of dysentery. It is certainly one of the best things ever made." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists d&w

Turner Suits

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

At a recent New York reception the wedding cake of the bride's mother was served. It had been kept for that purpose, wrapped in branded paper in a tin box

BUT WE WILL NOT SEE IT.

There will be a Total Eclipse of the Moon on Friday.

Next Friday there will be a total eclipse of the moon from 9.30 to 11.07 a. m., but night's queen being then below the horizon the eclipse will not be visible here. However, the obscuration begins very early in the morning and early risers may see its commencement before the moon sets. The moon will dip into the earth's shadow just a little more than enough to make the eclipse total.

This is the last eclipse of 1892, and it is the last eclipse of the moon that will occur until March, 1894. Next year the sun will be eclipsed in April and October, but the moon will entirely escape obscuration for nearly a year and a half. This is a noteworthy circumstance, although it is not extraordinarily rare. Such intervals happen two or three times in the course of the eighteen-year eclipse period.

READY FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Diamonds, Watches and Princely Jewels at Harpstrite's.

As in the past, E. J. Harpstrite, the enterprising young jeweler at 146 East Prairie street, is prepared to serve his old patrons and the people generally with gems of beautiful diamonds, standard watches and jewelry generally at his store which is so centrally located in the Ullrich Block on the way to the postoffice. Mr Harpstrite carries a large and varied stock of precious stones and watches, and makes special selections of novelties for the holiday season, now close at hand. It will delight you and pay you to step in at Harpstrite's store. All will be welcome, and orders will be taken now for goods to be supplied during the holidays 2 d6

"Spider and Fly"

The Grand should be crowded tonight to greet the appearance of Leavitt's improved, enlarged and reconstructed edition of the popular spectacular and pantomimic production, "Spider and Fly." This place can certainly be classed as a distinct novelty, containing as it does the brightest features of spectacle, pantomime, comedy, opera and high-class vaudeville.

The costumes have been lavishly supplied. The scenery, electric and mechanical effects are all new and said to be magnificent. The company numbers sixty people, and were mostly recruited abroad, though the several American artists, who were prominent in last season's cast, have been re-engaged. The chorus will be unusually attractive, numerous novelties have been added, and the music, songs and specialties are all new. Jaguarina, the famous swordswoman, is the latest feature secured for the "Spider and Fly."

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

LA PLACE

A splendid rain fell in this vicinity yesterday and last night. Last night was Hallowe'en and from the appearance of our burg the boys were pretty busy.

Al Griswell has been on the sick list for the past few days, but is again able to be out.

Little Albert Wolf who had his arm broken about a week ago, is getting along fine.

George Showalter got his arm caught in a belt on his clover huller one day last week and the arm was broken in two places and the flesh badly bruised and torn. Dr. W C. Howers attended him.

Mr and Mrs Theo Gunkle spent last week with his wife's brother, near Bennett.

W W Gunkle, of Atwood, was here Monday assisting his father in decorating the interior of the new church.

Miss Anna Butler is visiting friends and relatives in Memphis, Tenn.

Rev. Joffries is holding a revival at the M E church in this place.

The Hon Owen Scott will deliver an address for the benefit of Democracy, in the town hall tonight, and on Friday night W F Calhoun, of the REPUBLICAN, will present the other side. Everybody come, especially Friday night.

The New Light church in this place will be dedicated on the third Sunday of the present month.

Seventeen warrants were sworn out before 'Squire Fleck this morning for last night's work. The charges are destroying property and disturbing the peace.

Wedgewood Ware

We have just received a nice line of this famous ware, and being an import order given early in the year, we are able to place it before you for less money than ever before shown in this city.

OTTO E CURTIS & BRO

City News—Confidential

For every hundred cents invested at *Abel's Carpet and Wall Paper House* last week in Carpets, Linoleums, Oil Cloths, Mattings, and Wall Papers, each customer carried off more than a Dollar's worth, owing to the liberal patronage last week, we have decided to continue *Bargain-Day Sale* for one more week, beginning Monday Oct 17th. Continuing our trade to Dagestan, Byzantine, Saracene, Kublai Furs and Smyrna *Rugs*

Brussels, Irish Points, Tambour, Nottingham and Chenille *Curtains*. d&w

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur postoffice Oct 28, 1892

Alston, Frank.	Bliddall, J L.
Breed, A	Clay, Manuel, (2).
Elliott, Jno L.	Eagstrom, Wm.
Kaglerson, Wm M	Hess, Isaac
Hall, Theo	Latsham, John.
Inoyle, A N	Stotts, Jesse.
Caugart, G M	Converse, Lena.
Crosthwait, Fannie	Ellaston, Madge.
Fish, Mary	Freundt, Emilie.
Hunt J D	Jackson, Cora.
Kull, Kate	Wentz, Rebecca.

Watson, J B.

J. T HUBBARD, Postmaster.

Prominent Weddings

will always call for wedding presents and you will find that if you consult your own interest you will not fail to visit our store which is filled with new and beautiful goods. Every department is replete with elegant productions in the several lines they represent.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrh or chronic bronchitis will come on. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon. For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

AT
JOHNSTON'S,
151 North Water Street.

CLOAKS

We've been so busy selling Jackets, Wraps and Cape Newmarkets the last few days that it seems that everybody wants to buy our Garments. It is apparent we're giving the best values as our sales have jumped to more than double a year ago. We send out only nice fitting garments, as we know every one is an advertisement. Splendid fitting garments at

$5, $7, $7.50, $10, $12.50, $15, and $25.

See our Sealette and Plush Sacques at $12 50, $16, $19.50, $22 50, $25, the best values in town.

NOTICE.—We will save any Cloak for anyone who wishes to make payments on same.

DRESS GOODS.

Don't forget that we are showing some of the best values in Dress Goods shown in Decatur. Camel's Hair Suit Patterns at $1.95. Storm Serge Dress Patterns at $3.95. French Novelty Suit Patterns, elegant goods, at $10, $12.50, 15, and $20.

BLANKETS at 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50, $5 00, to $12.50 per pair.

Chas. T. Johnston,
151 North Water Street.

THE GREAT REMODELING SALE

Is Still Going On

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

The way in which the people are taking advantage of the sale conclusively proves that the people of Decatur and the surrounding country are fully awake to their own interests, and know a GOOD THING when they see it.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS
will be offered this week in
HEAVY SUITS and OVERCOATS.

CHEAP + CHARLEY.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of side walks provided to be constructed according to any and all ordinances heretofore passed by the city of Decatur, Illinois providing for the construction of sidewalks and which have not been constructed, and legal notices have been served, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk from the date hereof until three o'clock p m of Monday, the seventh day of November, A D 1892.

That said building will be required to be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same now on file in the office of the city clerk and subject to the inspection and approval of said city. That said building will be required to be constructed at a location to be selected by said city council at or near the public water works of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required to erect and construct such building, together with all matters pertaining thereto. The contractor will be paid for same, in compliance with a resolution pertaining thereto, passed by the city council of said city on the 17th day of October, A D, 1892.

The city council reserves the right to permit the water and light committee of said council to open and examine any and all bids, after three o'clock p m. of Monday, the 7th day of November, A. D. 1892, for the purpose of said committee making a report of all bids received to the city council of said city.

All bids, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated October 18th, A. D 1892.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
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NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received at the County Clerk's Office at Decatur, Illinois, until 12 o'clock on the 15th day of November, 1892, for furnishing combination fixtures for lighting the new court house, in accordance with schedule now in clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. BUILDING COMMITTEE.
oct31 dtd

D L. Bunn. Edwin Park
BUNN & PARK.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
OFFICE—Front rooms over Decatur National Bank, Decatur, Ill.
Special attention given to Real Estate and Loans. Real Estate and Loans negotiated and Notes and Mortgages bought and sold.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the erection and construction of a building for the housing and use of the filter plant, contracted for by the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk from the date hereof until three o'clock p m of Monday, the seventh day of November, A D 1892.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Edward O Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Edward O Smith, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the January A. D., 1893 term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of October, 1892.
DAVID S. SHELLABARGER, Administrator.
Oct30-d31

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Wall Paper and Room Mouldings
—COMPETENT—
Paper Hangers and Frescoers.
125 East William Street, Opposite Library Block.

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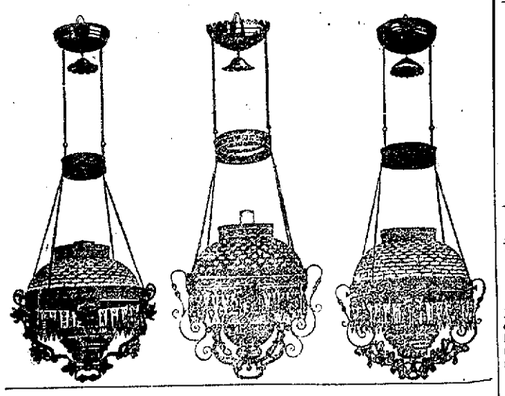
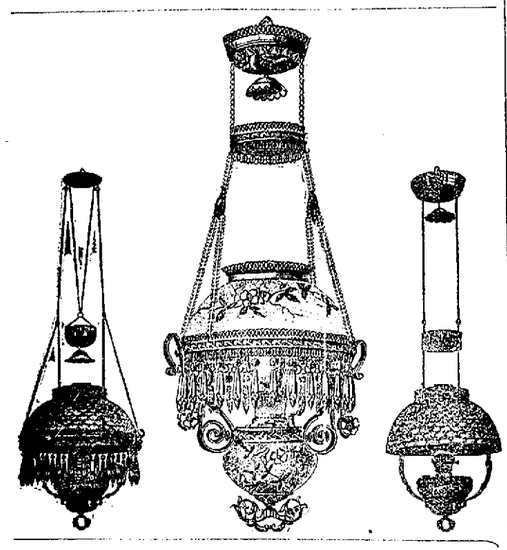


WHEN you look at our stock of HANGING LAMPS you will say as all others do, "The Handsomest line in Decatur," and at prices lower than ever offered.



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Second Floor, China Department.

GEO. W. JONES & CO.

SEE OUR CHILDREN'S SUITS

at $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 up to $5.00

See Our MEN'S OVERCOATS

At $6 to $25.

THE CHEAPEST to the BEST MADE. Fit well.

Our line of CLOTHING IS COMPLETE. Give us a look on all Men's, Boys' and Children's apparel. The PRICES THE LOWEST for good made clothing

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4 Doors West of Post Office.

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Sugar-cured Boneless BREAKFAST BACON and HAMS, free from cloth or paper wrappings.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN

WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 2, 1892.

FRESH OYSTERS

—AT—

WOOD'S.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hanging Lamps.

140 different styles of Library Lamps, BY ACTUAL COUNT, is what we show on our first and second floors. It is folly for any one to try and match us either in assortment or prices. We sell them from $1.50 to $10.00 each.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417.

Try Powers' Good School Shoes.

SMOKE the old reliable E. & W. cigars. mar29dtf

THE "Spider and Fly" organization at the Grand to-night.

THE Republican drum corps will practice to-morrow night.

THE rain ceased falling last night, but it is cold and raw to-day.

THE PALACE leads for oysters and lunch. Syndicate Block.

THE election instructions and sample ballots were posted to-day.

500 dozen mens and boys work gloves to be sold cheap. ANTHONY & WEBB.

WE can accommodate ten more day boarders. Palace, Syndicate block.

Headquarters for nice fitting corsets. ANTHONY & WEBB.

COURT will convene again on November 10th to dispose of cases on the dockets.

DON'T forget that the polls will open Tuesday Nov. 8 at 7 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

AT Moawequa yesterday M. Schneider, the founder of the town, passed away.

SMOKE the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars and you will be happy all the time.

PREPARE to fall in line Saturday night in the Republican parade. "Are You Ready?"

GET flags and bunting and decorate for Saturday afternoon and night—Republican day.

CLINTON Republicans will have their big rally to-night. Bloomington will be there in full force.

YESTERDAY Richard M. Powell, city engineer at Taylorville, died of a congestive chill, aged 45 years.

THE favorite smokers all the time are the celebrated Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by Joseph Miehl.

THE finest diamonds and watches in the city are on sale at E. J. Harpstrite's store, 146 East Prairie street. 2-d6

WANTED—Traveling salesmen to handle parlor goods on commission. Call on H. Tay, 243 and 247 South Water street. 29-d6

UNDER the new law the voter should go and vote early. Much trouble and disappointment will be avoided by so doing.

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

TO-NIGHT Vaught will make another couple at his phrenological parlor, and if the minister is there no doubt there will be a wedding.

TIME saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

C. T. JOHNSTON, the Decatur dry goods merchant, has announced a large cloak opening for November 11th at his Blue Mound store.

THIS afternoon in the county court Carl Freundt, on complaint of his wife, will be subjected to another inquisition as to his alleged insanity.

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

Ladies street suits at a bargain. ANTHONY & WEBB.

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr6-dtf

PROF. VAUGHT has made over 25,000 phrenological examinations during the past fourteen years. He can tell you what to follow to make the best success.

THE meeting of the Baptist Aid Society, which was put off on account of the rain, will be held at the residence of Mrs. Scruggs Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m.

A NEW line of stamped linens just received. ANTHONY & WEBB.

IT is confidently expected that the required $90,000 will be raised to secure the Commercial Rolling Mill. Get that mill and it will send factories running to Decatur.

PERSONS whose 21st birthday comes the day after the election are legal voters on the day of election, according to the decision of the courts. This has been the law always.

THE E. J. Harpstrite jewelry store, 146 East Prairie street, is the place to leave orders for holiday goods. Make your selections in advance. No trouble to show the goods. 2-d6

THE Roney Concert company of Chicago will give one of their unique entertainments on the evening of November 22, 1892, at the First M. E. church. Look out for further notice.

THE march mapped out for Saturday night is about two miles long. It is made as short as possible, but the route is through the principal streets of the city—all over paved streets.

CHAS. H. SWIFT has been appointed passenger and ticket agent of the Wabash, at Springfield, Ill. John J. Sim is appointed chief dispatcher and district operator of the first and second districts, with office at Peru, Ind.

DURING the past week J. A. Meriweather has made important improvements at his residence property on West Main street. As soon as the weather will permit the painters will make the house shine with a new dress.

BIG RALLY SATURDAY.

Closing Republican Meeting in Decatur—The Line of March.

Senator Cullom, Hon. M. R. Powers and Others will Address the People.

The chief marshal for Saturday, Nov. 5th, in Decatur, when the Republicans of Decatur and Macon county will have the closing political demonstration of the '92 campaign, will be Major F. M. Young. The major will be in full charge of the parade demonstrations and will have efficient assistants.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

The line of march, which will not be altered under no circumstances, will be as follows:

The column will form at 7 o'clock at the old court house on Water street, with the right resting on East Main street.

The column will move east on Main street to Franklin, north on Franklin to William street, east on William to Morgan street, north on Morgan to Eldorado, west to Main with right resting on North Main street, to remain until incoming delegations arrive to form on the left, then the column will move south on North Main street to North street, west on North to Church street, south on Church to Prairie avenue, west on Prairie avenue to Pine street, south on Pine to West Main street, east on Main to Water street where the column will disband.

DECORATE.

Republicans and others residing on the line of march will decorate in handsome style for Saturday night. They are again assured that there will be no change in the line of march. Major Young desires this fact to be emphasized.

NOTES.

Major Badenhausen will be in charge of the railroad division of the procession, the clubs which arrive on the incoming trains.

F. B. Mueller and B. Z. Taylor will have charge of the fireworks display and will see that the illumination is in keeping with Decatur's enviable reputation in that line.

Senator Cullom will speak in the afternoon at the wigwam, and there may also be speaking at the court house at the same hour, 2:30 o'clock.

All delegations from towns in Macon county and in towns outside of the county will report at once to Major Young for assignment in the column.

The route for the march covers 35 blocks, a fraction over two miles.

COMING 2000 STRONG.

Bloomington *Pantagraph*: Arrangements are progressing finely for the Decatur rally Saturday. The Bloomington Republicans will turn out at least 2,000 strong for that night, provided a satisfactory rate is made. The committee on transportation have every assurance of an extremely low rate there and it is quite certain that it can be obtained.

Resigned His Pastorate.

Rev. H. O. Hoffman, the pastor of the Independent church here, has resigned the pastorate of his church, the resignation to take effect January 1, next. For some time past Mr. Hoffman's health has been failing, and it is for this reason that he offers his resignation. During his recent visit to the west his health was much improved, and it is understood that he and his wife may possibly decide to make their future home in the west.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

THE four Mackey lines show and increase in earnings the third week of October of $7,439, as follows. The Evansville and Terre Haute, $25,726, an increase this year of $1014; the Evansville and Indianapolis, $7,732, an increase this year of $247; the Louisville, Evansville and St Louis, $38,712, an increase this year of $3851; the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville, $17,854, an increase this year of $2,527.

THE Republicans of Pleasant View township had a big rally at Blue Mound last night, despite the inclemency of the weather. Preparations for a torchlight parade had been made, but owing to the mud the march was declared off. Col. J. M. Clokey addressed a large audience in the hall and his excellent speech was heartily applauded.

New Locomotives.

The Wabash railroad today received two new locomotives from the Rhode Island Locomotive works, at Providence, R. I., for use on the Detroit and Chicago extension. They are beauties and were admired by large numbers of people at the depot today. They carry the numbers 415 and 416.

Death of Mrs. Schneider.

Mrs. Marguerite Schneider died about 6 o'clock yesterday evening at her home in Moweaqua, of old age. Mrs. Schneider was an old settler of Shelby county and belonged to one of the influential families. She was the mother of D. Schneider, and Mrs. T. C. Ponting.

IT is expected that a party of Decatur Republicans will leave on the 5 o'clock train this evening for Clinton to attend the rally at that place. It was impossible to secure a special train on the Central road, and therefore the proposed trip of the local clubs had to be given up.

IT is given out that the charges made by Ike Runyan against Chief Devore and other members of the fire department will be investigated by Fire Commissioners Cloyd, Bacon and Wells within a week. Possibly the inquiry will be delayed until after the election.

Consoling.

A certain young democrat was the recipient this morning of the following note from a republican young lady friend:

In eight days more 'twill be over. Alas for Adlai! Alas, for Grover!

Will Come to Decatur.

The young colored ladies' marching club, known as the Bloomington Star club, met last evening and made arrangements to come to Decatur on Saturday evening.

THE sale of reserved seats for the Gilmore band concert at the Grand Sunday afternoon will begin at Templeton's pharmacy to-morrow morning. Get your tickets.

THIS afternoon at 3 o'clock A. H. Miller left for Osco, in Piatt county, where he will address a Republican meeting tonight.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Wayne Wilson went to Monticello today.

F. M. Pratt left to-day at noon for Chicago.

Frank Elwood is in Monticello to-day on business.

Mrs. Lucy Haines, of Maroa, is in the city to-day on business.

Supt. John N. Donahey visited Macon to-day on school business.

T. D. Garver of Monticello was a visitor in Decatur yesterday.

Miss Ollie Sweet, of St. Louis, is the guest of Miss Laura Tullis.

E. P. Dawson and niece are visiting relatives in Columbus, Ohio.

W. C. Johns and C. P. Hoseum departed this noon for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Imboden left this morning for Assumption.

Mrs. L. Eberhart an daughter of Maroa, are in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Allison returned to-day from Winfield, Kansas.

Miss Mattie A. Gorin left to-day for Dallas, Tex., to visit relatives.

W. H. Grindol and Martin Fitzpatrick are at Assumption on business.

M. J. Tangley and W. H. Thain are in Monticello to-day on business.

E. L. Pegram, of Lincoln, transacted business in Decatur yesterday.

Charles Tyler returned this morning from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. M. A. Maxon of Marietta, O., is in the city visiting her son, M. Maxon.

Mrs. H. C. Anthony returned to-day from a visit with relatives in Danville.

Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew and Mrs. Ed Carter returned last evening from Chicago.

F. D. Rixie left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will attend a school of architecture.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, who have been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kaefer, departed to-day for their home in Williamsport, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McClure arrived home this morning from Quebec, Canada, where they have been playing engagements. Harvey's home is in the third district, and he will vote the Republican ticket straight on Nov. 8th.

Josh Ogden, the social business manager with the "Spider and Fly" company, paid the REPUBLICAN a call to-day. Josh has been in Decatur a many a time before, and does not hesitate to declare Decatur to be one of the most stirring cities in the west. He says it has grown with marvelous rapidity in the past ten years.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Ten persons are known to have been killed, and thirty others injured, many seriously, in a railway collision this morning near Thisk, England.

Shot a Man.

The festivities which usually surround Hallowe'en were marred at Champaign by a shooting scrape which may cause the death of one young man. It appears that a youth named Ritter, who is employed on the *Times*, thirsted for police honors to such an extent that he importuned Mayor Harris to appoint him as a special for Hallowe'en. According to Mayor Harris' story young Ritter was informed that he could act as watchman to see that no property was destroyed by the festive youths who make depredations on other peoples' property on Hallowe'en and call it fun, but he was told that in no event was he to attempt to make any arrest. Young Ritter seemed to think, however, that he was a sure-enough policeman, and when a young man named Martin saw him decorated with a huge star and proceeded to guy him Ritter promptly whipped out a revolver and shot Martin. The latter's wound is likely to prove fatal.

Sales of Real Estate.

Edward S. Baker to Willis Johnson, the north half of lot 2 in block 1, of Durfee & King's addition to Decatur—$2,600.

Wilbur C. Miller to Thomas Nichols, lot 20 in block 4, in Walnut Grove addition to Decatur—$300.

D. N. Moore to Andrew Heninger, lot 3 in block 1, in John Williams' addition Decatur—$3,500.

A. F. Gephart to A. T. Risley, lot 9 in block 4, in Higgins' addition to Decatur—$1,500.

Ulysses Huston to L. Madora Mitchell, the south 20 acres of the southwest quarter of the northwest of 34, 17, 2 east—$675.

Charles E. Stough to Wingate J. Tally, deed to tract of land in 14, 16, 2 east—$1200.

Robert W. Hight to H. C. Montgomery, quit claim to tract of land in 11, 14, 2 east—$1.00.

Frank P. Roddy to Sue M. Jones, deed to lot 6, block 7, Riverside Place—$750.

Grain Shipments Falling Off.

The heavy grain shipments from the west are commencing to fall off. The railroad men say that shipments are not much more than half as large as they were ten days ago. They look upon the let-up as a good thing, because the elevators and yards are so overcrowded that it will take nearly two weeks to get them cleared. Furthermore a sort of breathing spell is much desired. Operating forces and train crews have been working at such a high tension for the past two months that they need a few weeks' rest. It is thought that as soon as the election is over grain now being held back will commence to move and that the rush will be as great as it has been.

The new method of voting is very simple, provided you can read, and propose to vote a straight ticket. But trouble commences the moment you meander away from your party nominees and begin to scan the other tickets for the name of a friend to oblige by casting a neighborly vote for him. The danger comes from the possibility of marking wrong and exceeding your voting power, especially among the presidential electors and members of the house of representatives. Study the instructions until you are tired, and then let every republican vote straight.

The blatant calamity shriekers are "hoist by their own petard" in striving as they do to prove a fight between capital and labor. Capital is always under cover, and can take care of itself under all circumstances, while labor always wants a market. No friend of a laboring man can consistently attack capital. The "barons of protection" are better friends of labor than are the calamity howlers.

Altgeld bit off more than he could masticate when he sailed into Gov. Fifer on the forced employment of prison labor. The fact that he used prison polished marble in the construction of his Dearborn street building in Chicago is to be investigated by labor organizations.

A "COLUMBIAN RECEPTION" will be held Friday evening, November 4th, at the College Street Chapel of the Presbyterian church. Refreshments will be served free. All are cordially invited to attend.

MEMBERS of the "Spider and Fly" company are at the St. Nicholas and Hotel Brunswick.

BOLD TRAIN ROBBERY

On the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad.

EXPRESS AND U. S. MAIL CARS RIFLED

A Retreat Under Fire with the Spoils—The Robbers Pursued by Government and Express Company Detectives—The Chase.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 1.—Full details of the train robbery which occurred on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia road, just south of Piedmont, Ala., at midnight Monday night, were received here to-day.

As the south-bound express was pulling out of Piedmont two masked men quietly boarded the forward platform of the baggage car next to the engine. Two miles down the road, at Patona water tank, and when the train was under full headway they entered the baggage car and covered the baggagemaster with pistols, compelling him to lead them into the express car. Messenger Rogers had heard them coming, and, growing apprehensive, drew his pistol, but the robbers began firing into the top of the car and Rogers was forced to give up.

At the muzzle of pistols they compelled him to open the safe, emptying the contents of it into a bag. The express company says the robbers only got $800. The robbers then marched Rogers and the baggagemaster into the mail car and made the postal clerk throw up his hands. The registered pouches were cut open and their contents emptied into a bag.

The robbers pulled the bell cord as the train neared Doompman's station, and as the train slowed up they backed out of the door and stepped off.

Engineer Green and Conductor Jones became acquainted with the situation about this time and began firing at the robbers, who returned the fire as they fled through the woods. They mounted horses and escaped.

The amount of money that the registered packages contained is not known, but is estimated anywhere from $100 to $2,000.

Two hours later a posse was on the trail of the robbers, and at daylight came up with them twenty miles away in the mountains. A running fight occurred, but so far as is known no one was hurt. The government and the express company detectives have been sent to keep up the pursuit. The robbers are believed to be the same parties who held up the East Tennessee train near Rome, Ga., two months ago.

RUN AMUCK.

An Irish Constable Kills a Sergeant, His Wife and Two Children and Himself.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A horrible tragedy is reported as having occurred at Ballinadrumona, in County Meath, Ireland. It was at first reported that a band of moonlighters had attacked the barracks and murdered a sergeant, a constable and other persons. Later reports, however, show the facts to have been very different. A constable named Pillington was seized with a homicidal frenzy and went dashing about killing every person he could reach. He murdered Sergeant Rogan and then slew Rogan's wife and two children in a most brutal manner. Pillington also assaulted several others. He then turned his weapon on himself and committed suicide. The horrible affair has created a profound sensation.

"Nearer, My God, to Thee."

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Sadie Scanlan, a well-known soubrette, sister of Wm. J. Scanlan, the popular Irish comedian, now an inmate of Bloomingdale insane asylum, died suddenly last evening at her home, 822 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Miss Scanlan, or, as she was known in private life, Mrs. Georgie Brennan, had been confined to her bed with a severe cold since last Thursday. Yesterday her husband, who is an actor in her company, left her bedside at 6:30 o'clock, stepping into an adjoining room, where he had been but a moment when he was surprised to hear his wife singing softly to herself. He listened and caught the familiar hymn of "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The actress sang it unfalteringly to the end, her voice softening and dying away until at the last word its melody gave place to a strage rattle. Mr. Brennan hurried to her side. His wife was dead.

Sadie Scanlan was born in Hartford, Conn., in 1867, and was one of four children, none of whom survive but the demented comedian. She was educated at Chicago and studied music under Prof. Franchelli, formerly musical director of the Casino.

Destructive Forest Fires in Indiana.

BROWNSTOWN, Ind., Nov. 1.—Forest fires are raging on the table land four miles south and southwest of here, with a fury that is carrying everything before them. The roar of the flames can be heard in this city, and the heavens are lighted up with a glare that is plainly visible fifty miles away. A light breeze from the southwest brings smoke and heated air constantly over this place, and if continued through the night will doom every particle of fine timber that covers the table lands to destruction. This section of the state has been suffering from a protracted drought and everything is as dry as tinder. The table lands where the fires are raging are the best wooded parts of the county and contain much valuable timber, in fact, the best of the original forests, which has been preserved on account of its rapidly increasing value. Unless checked by a heavy shower the fire will feed upon the timber till it is all destroyed, having got such headway that it would be useless to attempt to stay it with usual agencies. The loss can hardly be estimated at this time, but will reach perhaps $100,000.

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ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Nov	70⅞	70⅞	69⅞	70⅛
Dec	71⅝	71⅝	71⅛	71⅝
May	77⅝	77⅞	77	77⅛
CORN—				
Nov	41⅞	41⅞	41	41⅛
Dec	41⅞	41⅞	41⅛	41⅛
May	45¾	45¾	45¼	45⅝
OATS—				
Nov	29¾	30⅛	29¾	30⅛
Dec	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞	31⅛
May	35⅞	36⅛	34⅞	35⅞
PORK—				
Nov	11 15	11 42	11 15	11 42
Jan	12 07	12 30	12 07	12 30
LARD—				
Nov	7 80	7 97	7 75	7 97
Jan	7 25	7 40	7 25	7 40
RIBS—				
Nov	7 30	....	7 25	7 40
Jan	6 62	....	6 60	6 62

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS

Wheat, all grades, 376.
Corn, all grades, 365.
Oats, all grades, 173.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 270; Corn, 235; Oats, 150;

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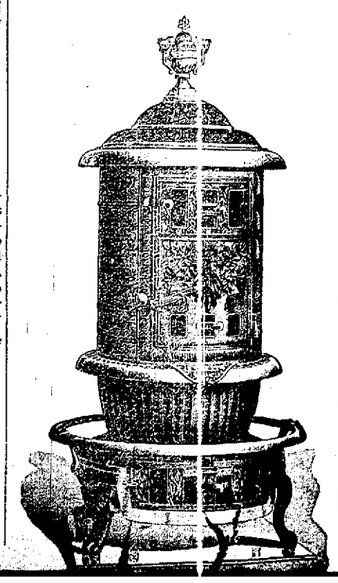

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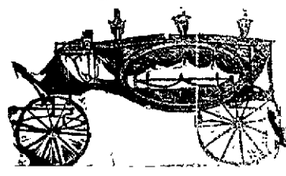

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NATIONAL W. C. T. U.

Visiting Lady Somerset, of England, Made a Delegate.

ALL THE OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

A Little Row Over the Report of the Temple Association on Account of the Renting of Rooms for Republican Headquarters.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 2.—Another storm thinned out the attendance at the big temperance convention yesterday, but about 1,200 ladies laid aside personal terrors of snow and slush and lent their presence to the meeting. This was the day set for the election of officers and the result was awaited with more than passing interest.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. E. Hull, president of the Florida W. C. T. U. The minutes were dispensed with. The lengthy report of the executive committee was to have been read, but before launching into a discussion the convention adopted the motion of Miss Pugh, of Chicago, that the president appoint a committee to award the prize banner at the afternoon session. Miss Willard explained that this presentation included the old original temperance banner, which had been passed, from year to year, to the state having the largest membership, and other banners made by various W. C. T. U. through out the country. The committee appointed consists of Mrs. Nichol, of New Jersey.

Continuing the interruption to the executive committee's report, Mrs Hoffman moved that Lady Somerset, who was sufficiently recovered to attend in person, be made a delegate instead of a guest. This motion was carried with applause.

The motion made at this point to purchase a diamond pin for Clifton Thorne, as a testimonial for his able work Monday night, was lost with hardly a vote in the affirmative.

Telegrams of a complimentary nature were read from J. B. Cranfall, the prohibition candidate for vice-president; John Willis Baer, the Christian Endeavorer; Neal Dow, of Portland, Me., and T. B Granniss, of the national league.

The report of the executive committee was then read and without comment adopted.

President Willard called Lady Somerset to the chair. The latter appointed as tellers for the election Mrs. Fields, of Indiana; Mrs. Clevger, of Ohio; Mrs. Ingalls, of Missouri; Mrs Stevenson, of Massachusetts; Mrs. Busby, of New Jersey; Mrs. Luce Conrad, Mrs Hastings, of Indiana; Mrs. Cummings, of Montana, and Mrs. Krunear, of North Dakota.

It took nearly an hour for the ballot for officers, and when the count was completed it was found that all of the old general officers had been re-elected, as follows:

Miss Frances E. Willard, president.

Mrs. A. Woodbridge, recording secretary.

Mrs. Caroline B. Buell, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. L. M. N Stevens, assistant recording secretary.

Miss Esther Pugh, treasurer.

The morning session closed with a Bible reading by Mrs. J. K. Barney, of Rhode Island, the World's evangelist.

A Row Over the Report of the Temple Association.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 2.—A woman's convention without a row would, of course, be a novelty, and the trouble in the W. C. T. U. convention yesterday afternoon originated over the report on "The Temple," by Mrs. Matilda B. Corse, president of the Temple association And it all came about because rooms in the Temple at Chicago had been rented to the republicans for headquarters. The southern delegates were of the opinion that the Temple could be put to better use than to be turned into a recruiting place for a political party and especially the republican party, and they made some very cutting remarks

There were a few women in the convention, however, who were republicans, and these resented the imputation cast on the party

Peace finally reigned and the report was proceeded with. It was shown by the books of the Temple company that the rents for six months aggregated $150,000 and would probably exceed that amount hereafter. There was no doubt, Mrs. Corse said, that the company would be able to secure and hold the building They expected before long to come into possession of the stock held by Marshall Field, amounting to $250,000.

Mrs. J. B. Hobbs, of Chicago, superintendent of the National Temperance hospital, made the report on that institution. There were 121 patients during the year, of which eighteen were men and the balance women. The death rate was 2½ per cent. the lowest of any hospital in the United States.

The balance of the session was taken up with reports of standing committees, which were of little general interest.

The session last night was devoted to reports from state presidents and the presentation of president's prize banners.

Highway Robbery in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—John Smith was held up at an early hour yesterday morning at Tenth and St. Charles streets by Andrew Jackson, a negro. Jackson was lying in wait for some one in a passageway, and when Smith passed along he knocked him to the pavement with a rock. While Smith was down Jackson robbed him of three dollars. Smith's cries attracted the attention of Officer James Quigley, who pursued Jackson and brought him to a standstill with his revolver. A warrant was issued charging him with highway robbery.

THE NEWMAN INQUEST.

The Woman was Killed by Some Person Unknown.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—Deputy Coroner Meade closed the inquest yesterday morning in the case of Maggie Newman, the colored woman who was killed in a fusillade that followed the arrest of Lou Price at the "White House," 2739 Papin street, on October 26. The testimony taken was that of Officer Behm, who has only been able to leave his bed within the past few days. Behm told how he heard a woman's screams issuing from the "White House," and running to the spot he caught Ed Price, alias Johnson, who was hurrying away.

He took him back to the house and as they were about to enter a dark hallway the prisoner called out "Lou, he's got me." Lou Price opened the door of a room in the hallway and fired four shots one of which lodged in the officer's back He released his prisoner and returned the fire. Ed. Johnson ran out of the house and as he did so Maggie Newman, the woman who had been screaming, fell to the floor with a bullet wound in her abdomen. Ed Johnson was caught by officers who heard the shooting and hurried to the scene. They sent the wounded officer home and the wounded woman to the hospital. She died the following day.

In the post-mortem examination the bullet which caused her death was found to be a 38-caliber, and as Officer Behm used a 41-caliber revolver it was clear his shot did not strike the woman. Lou Price's revolver was not found, and it could not be proven that he carried a 38-caliber revolver. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict saying that Maggie Newman came to her death from a gun-shot wound fired from a revolver in the hands of a person unknown to the jury.

Price will now be tried on a charge of assault to kill upon Officer Behm.

AN ALLEGED FORGERY.

A Pretty Young Widow Gets the Better of Two St. Cloud Banks.

ST CLOUD, Minn., Nov. 2.—What is said to be a successful forgery worked on two of the city banks recently came to light yesterday. About two weeks ago Mrs. Anna M. Murphy, of Tacoma, Wash., arrived in this city and registered at the Grand Central house. She soon found some of her old friends and schoolmates and to them she said that while out west she was married to a man named Murphy, at Tacoma, who had died and left her considerable property. Among her valuables she held two drafts purporting to have been issued by the National bank of Commerce of Tacoma on the First national bank of New York, for $800 and $700 respectively.

Dr. T. A. Hoyt, a friend and classmate of the lady, whose former name was McRae, gladly indorsed the said $800 draft, and the German-American national bank readily cashed it. The other check of $700 was cashed at the First national bank upon the recognition by Charles J. Methsroth, a clerk Mrs. Murphy is rather a pretty young widow, and it required very little effort on her part to accomplish her purpose. She is a stepdaughter of ex-Senator McRae, of Otter Tail county, a good talker and only 23 years old. Mrs. Murphy is supposed to have gone east.

AFRAID OF THE INDIANS.

Significant Letter From a Settler on the Ute Reservation.

GRAND JUNCTION, Col., Nov 2.—That the white settlers near the Uncompahgre Ute reservation are alarmed over the removal of the troops from Fort Duchesne is evident from the following letter received by a gentleman in this city:

On November 15 the remaining troops now stationed at the fort will be removed to Fort Logan, and then about 3,000 people in Ashley valley will be at the mercy of at least 5,000 bloodthirsty, pilfering Utes. The settlers are alarmed and do not understand just why this move is made, but the Indians are already getting stubborn, and only a few days ago two bucks stopped broadside in the road and forced a rancheman to drive around them It is getting a little late in the season for them to don the war paint, but look out when grass comes in the spring. The Meeker and Thornburg affairs will be repeated.

The writer is on the ground, and is a man who knows what he is talking about.

Fusion and Confusion in South Dakota.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Nov. 2.—The democratic leaders of South Dakota have finally shown their hand in a request to all members of that party to cast their votes for the Weaver electors. Democrats here have been given the tip in the past twenty-four hours and dispatches from Huron, Pierre and Millbank say that such an arrangement has been entered into in those cities. There is also an agement on state officers and congressmen. The democrats are to support their independent candidates for congressmen and governor and the democrats have the other state officers.

The vote of the state two years ago was: Republican 53,000, alliance 25,000, and democratic 18,000. If the agreement is faithfully kept, the independent electors may win, but the republicans claim at least 10,000 democrats who insist on voting for Cleveland. It looks to-night as though the party which wins will not have a majority of more than 1,000 to 2,000.

Successful Bank Robbery.

DODGE CITY, Kan., Nov. 2.—Yesterday afternoon masked men robbed the bank at Spearville, a few miles east of here. They entered the bank, covered the cashier with their revolvers and took the money that was in sight, about $1,000 Retreating from the bank, they fled in a southwesterly direction. Armed men were quickly mounted and on their track. It is thought that they are making for the Arkansas river and that they will be overtaken.

Kindled His Own Funeral Pyre.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 2.—A special to the News from South Bend, Ind., says: Michael Henske, while kindling a fire in the kitchen stove, used kerosene. There was an explosion, and Henske was burned to death before relief arrived.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Forest fires continue to rage along the Ohio river in Allegheny county, Pa.

—The prosecution closed and the defense opened in the Iams case at Pittsburgh yesterday.

—Order has been completely restored in the city of Santiago del Estero, the rebels having been disarmed by the federal troops.

—Alexander Von Deegan, formerly of Chicago, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in Milwaukee yesterday for bigamy.

—Two brothers named Burgess charged with murder were taken from the jail at Lebanon, Va., handcuffed together, hanged and riddled with bullets.

—James W. Lands a convict who tried to break jail at Elizabethport, N. J., Friday, made another and successful attempt about 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

—Recorder of Votes Carlisle of St. Louis says the registration laws of that city are a bungle, under which an angel could neither do justice nor give satisfaction.

—A steam pipe on the tug Col. E. B. Grubb, lying at the foot of Summit street, Brooklyn, burst, yesterday, fatally scalding William Bultz. A. Walters and William Gilson.

—The United States coast survey steamer Godney went on a reef at Portier Pass, Cuno island, yesterday. The steamer Active went to her assistance, but failed to get her off

—Hon. John D. Washburn, of Worcester, Mass., envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Switzerland, has sent his resignation to the president.

—The 650 Big Four telegraph operators will wait until December 1 for Superintendent Peck's answer to their demand for a decrease of hours and an increase of pay before striking.

—An American woman showing every symptom of leprosy has been admitted to the municipal hospital of Philadelphia where she will probably remain in close confinement until she dies

—While oiling the journals at the Horton Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Fort Wayne, Ind., yesterday, James McMillan was caught by his clothing in the gearing of the shafting and whirled to death.

—The eight colored prisoners who were convicted of the murder of Dr. James H. Hill, near Millington, Md., last April, were yesterday sentenced to be hanged at such time as Gov. Brown appoints.

—It seems that nobody is responsible for the killing of Marshall Broderick by a detail of soldiers during the late switchmen's strike at Buffalo, N. Y., except the young soldier who fired the fatal shot, and he is unknown.

—Capt C. J. Iredell, of Norfolk, Va., was arraigned before a trial justice at Columbia, S C, yesterday, charged with embezzling funds of the bank to the amount of $25,000. He gave bond for his appearance in court next March.

—Mrs. Hannah Andrews, aged 73 years, was burned to death Monday evening in her house near Batesville, Ind. In her enfeebled condition the old lady got too near the fire when her clothing ignited and she died in a few minutes.

—Southern France and the district of Andalusia, in Spain, were visited by a storm of unprecedented severity Monday Rain flooded many places and the wind caused much destruction of property and injury to human beings

—A five-story tenement house, 337 East Thirty-first street, New York, was completely gutted by fire at an early hour yesterday. The nineteen families who occupied the building all escaped in safety, many of them in their night clothes.

—Mrs. Mary B. Marcun was taken before Judge Almy at East Cambridge, Mass., yesterday, charged with the murder of her aged mother. The case was continued until Saturday next and the prisoner was committed to jail without bail.

—The members of the Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia emphatically deny the story published in a New York paper to the effect that the club had helped in the raising of $1,000,000 for the republican campaign fund. Neither Mr. Carnegie nor Mr Frick has given a cent.

—It is the general impression in England that the chances for the release of Dr Gallagher, Cantin and other dynamiters, in remote. It is pretty certain, however, that the appeal from Washington will cause a relaxation in the discipline to which these prisoners are subjected.

—The crew of the American bark Cowlitz, which arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., Saturday, without clearance papers, and having lost two men on the voyage from cholera, have been transferred to the quarantine stockade. The bark left in charge of Capt Miller and a mate.

—The supreme court at Ottawa, Ill., in its opinion handed down in the O'Sullivan case—in which the living Cronin murderers and their friends sought to have judgment entered, notwithstanding the death of O'Sullivan—yesterday, and declared the motion overruled and the writ of error abated

—While a funeral procession was crossing a bridge over Oil creek, ten miles from English, Ind., Monday afternoon, the bridge gave way and precipitated seven two-horse carriages into the creek. Anthony Robertson had his collar bone and right arm broken, and Thomas Hathbone suffered the dislocation of a hip Three horses had to be shot.

NEBRASKA'S CONGRESSMEN.

An Effort to Secure Increased Representation Under the Last Census.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 2.—John N. Comlein appeared in the supreme court yesterday morning with a petition for a mandamus compelling Gov. Boyd to issue a proclamation calling for the election of congressmen-at-large to fill vacancies alleged to exist Comlein alleges that under the census of 1890 Nebraska is entitled to six congressmen, whereas the state apportionment law does not give the state full representation until March 3, 1893. His position is that congress has no power to postpone Nebraska's representation until March, 1893; that Nebraska is entitled to full representation at the earliest possible moment after promulgation of the census, and that there are three vacancies which should be filled at once by special election.

The governor referred the matter to Attorney-General Hastings, whose opinion was adverse to Comlein. The governor joins with Comlein in asking the supreme court for a solution of the difficulty.

LOST ON LAKE MICHIGAN.

A Large Steamer and a Schooner Wrecked and Their Crews Lost.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—The great gale of last Friday and Saturday wrecked a large steamer and a schooner near South Manitou island, at the foot of Lake Michigan, and it is almost certain that the crews of both boats were lost.

The steamer foundered near the island, while the schooner was cast almost bottomside up far upon the beach. The name of neither boat can yet be learned, as the gale, followed so closely by another, this time from the east, has demoralized shipping, and it is too soon as yet to determine what boats are missing.

The wrecks are reported by Capt. Dennis of the schooner John Shaw, which reached Chicago in tow of the steamer John F. Eddy, yesterday afternoon. The Shaw and Eddy had weathered the gale at anchor under the Manitous.

A Cholera Scare.

A reported outbreak of cholera at Helmetta, N. J., created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helmetta, says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa remedy has given great satisfaction is the most severe cases of dysentery, It is certainly one of the best things ever made." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

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A GENERAL STRIKE

Ordered by the United Trades of New Orleans.

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The Strike Inaugurated to Enforce the Recognition by the Merchants of the Crescent City of the Trades Organizations.

New Orleans Threatened With a General Strike.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1.—A general strike in every line of trade, that will absolutely paralyze the commerce of this city, is threatened. The various labor organizations were in session all last night, the executive committee not completing its session until daylight this morning. The council decided to allow the merchants until nightfall to-day to recognize the unions. If the desired concession is not forthcoming by that time every one of the sixty-five unions in the city will order out its members to-morrow morning.

If the strike is ordered every newspaper in the city with one exception will be compelled to suspend publication. The council claims that 25,000 men will quit work to-morrow if the strike is ordered. If the merchants signify a willingness to arbitrate the dispute between them and the draymen and warehousemen, the strikers will resume work pending arbitration. The merchants thus far seem disposed to stand firm and make no concessions.

A General Strike Ordered.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 2.—A general strike was ordered by all the trades' union organizations of this city at 12:30 o'clock this morning, taking effect to-day. A meeting of all the parties concerned is now (8 a. m.) being held in the board of trade, and the affair may be settled before morning. Every business man in the city is directly interested in the movement which is now on. The strike is the result of the merchants' refusal to recognize the labor organizations.

The amalgated council composed of sixty-seven bodies of the American Federation of Labor, decided this morning to order out every organization in the city.

The local typographical union has taken part in the strike and notice has been served on the various newspapers in the city that the men would walk out after their work this morning.

The levees, steamboat landings and railroad depots are crowded with freight, and should a general strike take place it will absolutely paralyze the city's commerce and throw out of employment between 25,000 and 30,000 men.

NO SURRENDER.

Chicago Merchants Combine to Fight the Sugar Trust.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—New York and Philadelphia may surrender to the sugar trust, but the World's fair city will not be bulldozed worth a cent. At least that was the purport of the decision reached at a meeting of the large wholesale grocers in this city. The meeting was held on the request of Mr. W. F. Osborn, the New York representative of the American sugar trust. The plan proposed by Mr. Osborn was the one known as the "equality and rebate plan," and after a half hour's deliberation it was unanimously rejected. The plain English of the attitude of Chicago's holesale grocers is that they do not intend being dictated to by the sugar trust. If they want to buy sugar at five cents and sell for four cents it is their business, and is no concern of the sugar trust or anyone else.

The "equality and rebate plan" was proposed at the meeting of national grocers in New York last June and would have been adopted had it not been for the active opposition of Chicago, supplemented by nearly all the leading houses in Milwaukee, Detroit, Kansas City and St. Joseph. St. Louis and a few other southern points were in favor of it, but it was temporarily shelved. The meeting had no sooner adjourned than sly work was begun by the trust, and its friends to work the opposition over to the scheme, and a few weeks ago a very ingenious circular was sent out, confidentially, to the wholesale grocers. It is ingenious because it evades the anti-trust law of Missouri by claiming it would promote competition and at the same time containing the outline of a plan that would totally destroy all competition and put the sugar trade entirely in the hands of the trust, with power to dictate price and limit the output.

A WONDERFUL CASE

Stabbed to the Heart and Recovered—A Strange Decision.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—George Goabout, brother of the notorious Tom Goabout, who was stabbed to the heart on September 20 and recovered, was in the court of criminal correction yesterday morning to prosecute Harrison Taylor, the man who cut him. According to the story told on the witness stand Goabout attacked Taylor on a street car, claiming Taylor struck his sister. In the scuffle Taylor drew a knife and buried it in Goabout's left breast. At the hospital Dr. Marks found the blade had penetrated the heart. He gave Goabout no hope of recovery, but bandaged the wound and commanded him to lie still for a week. No food was given him during that time, and at the end of a week after the bandages were removed the wound in the heart was healed. Not long ago Goabout was discharged by Dr. Marks as cured. His case will go on record as one of a remarkable recovery which may not occur once in a million times. At the conclusion of the trial yesterday Judge Claiborne said he would discharge Taylor as he was severely provoked when he did the cutting.

Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrah or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon. For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

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A REMARKABLE CASE

Of Lockjaw Without Previous Bodily Injury to Cause It.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—A case of tetanus or lockjaw of a nature heretofore supposed to be confined exclusively to tropical countries, is developing at the city hospital. It is that of Patient Frank Degaw, in the ninth division, whose entrance to the hospital about a week ago brought up a problem for Dr. Marks to solve. The problem was as to whether Degaw was threatened with spinal meningitis or tetanus. The man at first complained only of a pain in the back, and thought he must have sprained his back while doing carpenter work. After his arrival at the hospital Degaw's spine became curved, bending his body almost like a bow, with the muscles of the back and abdomen rigid and hard, and the left leg stiff and immovable. He also suffered some pain in the spine. Those symptoms, as far as they went, were those of spinal meningitis, but more important symptoms of that disease were lacking. With that condition of the spine, a sufferer from spinal meningitis would have been delirious and there would have been a marked elevation of temperature and an eruption of the skin below and around the lips. None of these were present. The only other diagnosis possible was that of tetanus, and to this belief Dr. Marks inclined, although until yesterday the undoubted symtoms of tetanus had not developed. A fact also making that diagnosis of the case a rather daring decision was that Degaw stated positively that he had met with no injury that could have caused lockjaw.

But yesterday afternoon the unmistakable symptoms of tetanus made their appearance. The tonic, or continuous, contraction of the muscles was reinforced by clonic, or paroxysmal, contractions, during which the patient would shriek with agony. A stiffening of the muscles of the jaws and face was also noticed, growing in intensity until Degaw could barely open his mouth. As soon as these new developments made their appearance the treatment proper for tetanus, or lockjaw, was at once begun, and to-day the patient is somewhat better, but not out of danger. Dr. Marks states that a case of lockjaw without the existence of some injury to have caused it as a remarkable medical case and possessed of the deepest professional interest. He says that tetanus sometimes so develops in the tropical countries, where the sun's heat has an effect on the spine that causes the disease to develop, but that in all countries in the temperate zone it has been supposed that lockjaw could only arise from some injury that the human body had undergone, independent of the ordinary development of the disease. Degaw's case is being closely watched.

The Oregon Cleveland Electors Ordered Withdrawn.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 2.—Instructions have been received by telegraph from the national democratic headquarters to withdraw the Cleveland electors, in favor of the Weaver men. This action meets the approval of democrats here and they claim that it assures the defeat of the Harrison electors.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

BLUE MOUND.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather about one hundred and fifty Republicans and a few Democrats turned out to hear J. M. Clokey at Joe Miller's hall last night, and the general remark of Republicans is that it was the fairest and best presentation of the principles of the Republican and Democrat parties ever presented to a blue Mound audience, and it is believed that a few Democrats who have been almost persuaded as to the righteousness of the Republican doctrine of protection, were thoroughly convinced by this speech that it is the thing for this country and will prove their faith by voting for Harrison and Reid next Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Hershey, aged 74 years, died of paralysis of the bowels at her residence near Morgansville Tuesday.

J. B. Beckett moved from his farm to his new residence here in town yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Thompson, three miles northwest of town, is very low with some disease of the lungs and will probably never recover.

The hoodlums of the town had their usual amount of fun Hallowe'en, obstructing the doors of business houses with boxes, beer kegs, &c., and giving the owners of the buildings the consequent trouble resulting from the heathenish practice by removing the obstructions next morning. It.

Nov. 2, 1892.

BRAISDALE.

Weather rainy and cool. Farmers busy husking corn when the weather permits.

Watch for the election, it will soon be here, and hurrah for Harrison.

Miss Jessie Hays, of Decatur, has been visiting relatives at this place.

There was an oyster supper at Tom Pharis' last night.

Miss Geathus, of Springfield is visiting at her uncle's, Capt. Taggart.

Misses Jessie Hays, Lulu Taggart and Miss Geathers visited with Myrtle Newman last Friday.

Mrs. Hastings was buried at Boiling Springs Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baum spent Sunday near Elorm, and on returning home met with an accident by some one running into their buggy. No one was hurt but the buggy was wrecked. It was done by the St. Louis bridge and caused by a train.

Mrs. Keagy and son, Oath, of Macon, visited her son Ira of this place.

Miss Lulu Taggart spent Sunday at home in Decatur.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 2, 1892.

CLEVELAND has decided to take the stump in his own interest. He will dodge the Democratic tariff plank and also the wild-cat plank of the Democratic party. In these respects he is either ashamed of his party or else is trying to fool the people.

JUDGES of election in times past have appeared at the polls on the morning of election many times after the hour when votes should have been received. This year any judge of election who fails to be on hand and ready to receive votes promptly at 7 o'clock—and that is an early hour—will be subject to a heavy fine. The polls must be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 5 o'clock p. m.

"The Tariff is a Tax."

"The tariff is a tax" says the free trade demagogue, and yet no free-trader has ever been able to prove the statement to be true as to a protective tariff. If the European manufacturer, when he has a monopoly of this market on any article of manufacture, never charged more than a reasonable profit, above the cost of production, to the American consumer, there might be truth in the allegation. But the contrary is true. When he monopolized this market the foreign importer always charged our people large profits, hence whenever a protective tariff has intervened to put our own people to manufacturing the goods we had been buying abroad, the result has been a reduction in prices because of the competition created by starting up the industry here. Free trade never starts industries here. It leaves the foreign monopolist to rob our people.

These are facts which cannot be fairly disputed, and in spite of them whenever the protectionist steps in and establishes by a tariff competing industries, no matter how much the prices of manufactures may have been reduced thereby, the free-trader at once begins his howl that the tariff is a tax paid by the consumer and assumes that the amount of the tariff is added to the price of the article; he also demands the repeal of the tariff, which is equivalent to insisting that our people shall again be put at the mercy of the foreign manufacturer.

The free trader is at this time demonstrating his false assumption in relation to the duty on tin plate by which our people are building up this industry. They have put out in the interest of the election of Cleveland and Stevenson some foreign tin plate 3x4 inches bearing the pictures of these two gentlemen, who are candidates upon a false theory, and on the reverse side of these plates is printed a lot of rot intended to secure the votes of the people for free trade and to break down the effort to manufacture our own tin plate. On one of these plates the following statement is made:

This card is made of imported tin plate. It weighs 100 pounds per box and sells in New York City for $5.20 out of this amount the United States government receives $2.20 by virtue of the McKinley tariff therefore without duty it is sold for $3.00 per box. The consumer pays $5.20 per box.

Here we have a complete exposure of the fallacy of the free traders theory. Before the duty on tin took effect English monopolists charged our American consumers $5.50 cents a box for this grade of tin. If they can lay this tin down at New York duty free for $3.00 then they were robbing the American people to the amount of $2.50 on every box of tin of this brand that we bought. If this is true then it is a fact as protectionists claim that when Europe has a monopoly of this market they rob our people, according to their own figures this grade of tin has declined since the McKinley tariff went into effect 39 cents a box. But in spite of the fact that this competition has forced English tin down the "reformer" howls the tariff is a tax which robs us of $2.20 on every box of tin. The American plate is sold for still less than this English grade.

Election Frauds.

It makes one just a trifle weary to read, as those who read the Decatur *Review* this morning have done, the Democratic wail about the danger of the Republicans buying the election.

In the light of the fact, that, were it not for the intimidation and frauds of the ballot box in the south, perpetrated by the democrats, by which means the south has been made solid for the Democratic party, that party would not have the remotest chance to elect a president; and in the light of the fact that under the operation of the Federal Election law in 1872, 40,000 fraudulent democratic votes were found in New York City, which fact was admitted by "Sunset" Cox in a speech in Congress; and in the light of the fact that thirty-eight democrats are now in the New Jersey state penitentiary, who were found guilty of fraud at elections in that state; and in view of the fact that Joe Mackin, a democrat in our own state, and secretary of a Democratic committee, served in the penitentiary in this state on account of altering the returns of an election for a state senator; and in view of the fact that today a number of democratic politicians are now under arrest in Chicago and New York for frauds upon the registry of voters; and in view of the fact, that, right here at home, a Democrat has been tried and convicted of fraud at a township election; and in view of the fact that a millionaire candidate for governor, through the committee of his party, has raised a corruption fund with the intention of purchasing voters to stay from the polls in order to secure his election; and in view of the fact that a Democratic scheme to carry the state of Indiana by fraud has been discovered and exposed, it is simply disgusting to see Democratic leaders as in the case of the Decatur *Review* holding up would be holy hands and charging fraud upon the Republican party; a party that furnishes no examples to the penitentiaries, or to the country, of men who have no regard for the purity of the ballot.

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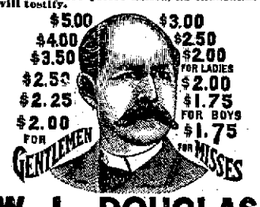

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PRICES: First floor and 1st rows Balcony, $1.00; back rows Balcony, both floors, $1.00; general admission, $1.00 and 75 cents; Gallery, 50 cents.

N. B.—This is positively the only Engagement and Concert that will be given in Decatur, Ill., this season by

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Strength is Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If La Grippe has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c, at King & Wood's drug store. fm

BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

(Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.)

AGENTS WANTED.—We want first-class traveling salesmen to handle our lubricating oils and grease as a side line. COLUMBIA OIL & GREASE CO., Cleveland, Ohio. 2-d2w

FOR SALE—A good chance for the right party. A complete and fresh stock of groceries, in a good location in this city, with a good established trade. Half cash, balance in trade. Address A. & A., care Decatur Republican. nov2,d1,w*

LANDS FOR SALE by the Illinois Central R. R. Co. at low prices and on easy terms in Southern Illinois. The best farm country in the world for either large or small farms, gardens, fruits, orchards, dairying, raising stock or sheep. A greater variety of crops, with a greater profit, can be grown on a less amount of lands in this country than can be raised in any other portion of this state. Don't go elsewhere to buy lands for farms until you see southern Illinois. All sales made exclusively by the Land Commissioner I. C. R. R. Co. Special inducements and facilities offered by the Illinois Central Railroad Company to go and examine these lands. For full description and map and any information, address or call upon E. P. SKENE, Land Commissioner I. C. R. R. Co., 78 Michigan ave., Chicago, Ill. nov2-d10-w6

LOST SUNDAY—A small black-and-tan pup, about four months old, named "Ben," wore a leather collar nickel mounted with small bell attached. Any information leading to the recovery of the pup will be thankfully received and suitably rewarded. S. BURGESS, 225 N. Edward St. oct31-d1*

MAN Wanted. Salary and expenses. Permanent place. BROWN BROS. CO. Unity Bldg., Chicago. 2 oct29-d4t

WINTER YOUR HORSES.—We are prepared to winter a number of horses at the Race farm, 1½ miles east of Decatur, at $6 a month each. Good stabling and sheds. No diseased horses admitted. Apply to BISHOP & RAGE, Decatur, or at the farm. oct28 d2w*

FOR RENT—A dwelling of seven rooms on North College street; everything in good repair. Apply at 306 North Edward street. 29 d6*

FOR RENT—My hotel and restaurant in the Dougherty Block, corner East Eldorado and Jasper streets. House of 34 rooms. Good business open for the right party. Apply to J. R. DOUGHERTY at premises. oct18-d1f

FOR SALE.—A 2-year-old, 3 in the spring bay horse and delivery wagon and harness cheap. Inquire of YOUNG BROS. & MATTS Co., North Water street. [Oct. 19d1.]

WANTED—Five or six check boys at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company. 829-1f

FOR SALE—A fine farm of 160 acres, 1 mile east and 2 miles south of Maroa, Ill. For particulars call at the farm or address SAMUEL MCCANN, Maroa, Ill. s28-d6wtf

WE offer agents big money, in exclusive territory. Our sales sell at sight in city or country. Agents first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day actually clearing $91.50. So can you. Catalogue free. Address ALPINE SAFE CO., No. 360-371 Clark Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. sep20-d3m0

WANTED—10,000 lbs of chickens, 5,000 lbs of butter and 5,000 dozen eggs. All kinds of feed in stock, at D. H. DUNBAR & CO.'S, 549 North Water St. aug11-d1f

W. A. BOYD—House and Sign Painter. Graining, Calcimining and Paper-hanging, 147 South Water St. Satisfaction guaranteed. july28-d1f

WANTED—Board and rooms for the students of Brown's Business College. Send particulars by mail, or call at the college office, 549-551 North Water St. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. E. P. IRVING.

HOUSE CLEANING — Headquarters for House cleaning, Wall Paper cleaning, and Upholstery of all kinds at 152 East Prairie St.—upstairs. Montgomery & Hammons. Satisfaction guaranteed. dec2tf

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargains in second-hand goods.
WALKER & CHANCE,
aug23-d1f 135 and 137 North Main St.

COMPETENT Spanish teacher. Address No. 343 West Macon street, Decatur, Ill jan26-d1f

THE DECATUR NURSERY will save you 50 per cent. on trees, small fruit and other plants. All stock guaranteed. Don't be misled by foreign agents. Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, near fair grounds, Decatur. feb2-d6wtf

J. B. EBERHART—House and Sign Painter. Ornamental and Fresco work a specialty. First-class, and satisfaction guaranteed. may28-d1f

FRANK BICKES & BRO.—Contractors and builders of Artificial stone. Plain and ornamental sidewalks a specialty. Will make estimates on building stone, etc. Address, Bickes & Bro., 1346 or 708 East Eldorado street, Decatur, Ill inch16-d1f

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water Street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur Illinois. july16-d&wtf

CHICAGO SECOND HAND STORE — All kinds of Cook Stoves at half price. All kinds of Cook Stoves at bargains. Parlor stoves from $1 up; chairs 25c; beds, wardrobes, lounges, parlor suits, bedroom suits. All goods at rock bottom prices, and everything bound to sell.
LUDWIG SCHEUERMANN, Manager.
East Main St. opposite Bachman Bros. s24tf

FOR SALE—By O. T. Kirk, at Blue Mound, Ill., 117 acres two miles from Blue Mound, Ill. Fine improvements consisting of a house of eight rooms, new roof newly painted, cisterns and cellar, barn 40x40 in good repair and all out buildings that are needed including cribs and sheds. Good orchard, farm all under good fence. In fact this farm must be seen to be appreciated, and is a bargain at the price $70 per acre. On the market for thirty days.

Eighty acres four miles northwest of Blue Mound. A splendid black land and there is almost 1,200 rods of tile on the eighty. Good orchard but no buildings of any consequence. I have this farm offered for two weeks at $5,300. It can be rented for five years at $5 per acre.

Eighty acres three miles east of Blue Mound and four miles west of Macon in fine location, land is fine and lays well; fenced. Good well and corn crib. House is old and would have to be repaired. Will sell this farm at $5,000. Better see it.

I also have several other farms to sell and have western land to exchange for stock or merchandise or city property.

I have a fine stock and grain farm three miles north of Blue Mound, 120 or 140 acres at $60 per acre and could take a residence in Decatur to the amount of $2,000. Balance would have to be cash with the exception of $2,500 which could run for three years.

We have five lots on Waggoner street between Warren and Broadway. For sale or trade.

Two new houses on South Boyd street; four rooms each with basement. $1,100 each; $400 cash. Balance $12 per month. [Oct 28 d1w]

CLAIRVOYANT.

PROF. BARNEY, the greatest clairvoyant of his age has arrived in Decatur, Ill. He will read your future life without a mistake. Gives valuable information on all matters. Will give you truthful advice on business, love, money matters and all family affairs, being gifted with a rare and wonderful insight in such matters and never known to make a mistake. Troubles in place of every sort, even unlikely. Troubles healed, troubles the separated from whatever cause, and causes happy marriages. Gives names of friends and enemies, also the one you will marry. Tells what to do and where to go to be lucky. All in trouble call. Those desiring reliable information on all affairs of life or business are invited to call. All counsel strictly confidential. He can be found at 329 North Jackson street, between William and North streets. Hours from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. octs d1mo

DO YOU NEED SPECTACLES? —Miss Mary Nesbitt, M. D., graduate of the Chicago Ophthalmic college, has opened rooms at No. 250 North Park street, where she is prepared to serve those who are in need of properly adjusted spectacles. Miss Nesbitt is a thorough and scientific optician, and is fully equipped with all the latest devices for properly adjusting lenses so as to correct the most intricate error of vision. In the process of fitting glasses she centers the pupil of the eye the center of the lens, so all lenses are focused, and she thus overcomes the difficulty, so common in the adjustment of spectacles, of causing the lens to operate as a prism. Miss Nesbitt also adjusts the frames to the face. Those in need of the services of a thorough optician would no well to give her a call. s-106d1f

MONEY TO LOAN—In large or small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loan. Office 22 North Water St., above Peddicord, Burrows & Co.'s bank.
jan19-d1f J. W. REDMAN

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE—For sale, at from $275 to $300, ten choice lots in Powers' addition, near the new school house.
mch31-d1f JOHN A. BROWN.

LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls, frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN,
Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store. 22-d1f

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And go to Scovill's where Prices are Lowest in town,
There everything to furnish a house can be found.
Of his liberal terms you hear every one speak;
Pay what you can down and the rest by the week,
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It's a positive fact we're selling goods 25 per cent. Lower than any other house in the city.

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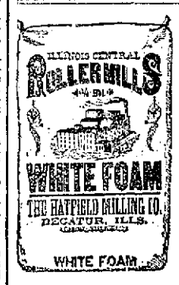
The Complete House Furnisher, on Easy Payments,
211, 213 AND 215 SOUTH SIDE CITY PARK.



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They are the best in the market. Every sack guaranteed. For sale by all grocers

HANAN & SON'S TRADE-MARK.

GENTLEMEN: We have just received 25 Dozen HANAN'S FINEST SHOES, in French Calf and Enameled Calf; all the New Styles in Heavy and Light Soles.

BEWARE!

Some unscrupulous dealers may claim to sell shoes just as good as Hanan's—THERE IS NO JUST AS GOOD.

TAKE CARE!

POWERS' SHOE STORE.

HIGHWAY NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur township, Macon county, state of Illinois, on the

4th Day of November, A. D. 1892,

for graveling East William street road, commencing at Geddis' Lane and running east to the top of the hill at Mosier's gate, a distance of five-eighths of a mile, the road to be graveled 16 feet wide, the gravel to be 12 inches deep in the center and 8 inches deep at the sides of the road, the gravel to be free from dirt and measured in the wagons on the road. The same to be let by contract by public letting to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the Town Clerk's office in Decatur, Ill. The work to be completed by the 15th day of December, A. D. 1892.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 24th day of October, A. D. 1892.

C. M. CALDWELL,
DANIEL WHITSEL,
oct25-d10t Commissioners of Highways.

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of William Clark, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of William Clark, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1892.

MARY A. CLARK, Executrix.
BUNN & PARK, Attorneys. oct20-d3w

PRESERVE YOUR EYES

JAMES THOMAS,

Practical Optician in the detection and correction of all visual imperfections by the proper adjustment of spectacles.

Office 229 North Water street, opposite First M. E. church.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for paving and improving North Morgan street in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, from the north line of Mason street, south to the north rail of the railway track situated and located farthest north as the same is now located, upon the right of way of the Wabash railway company in said city, according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the *said city of Decatur on the seventeenth day of* October, A. D. 1892, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 6 o'clock p. m. of Monday the seventh day of November, A. D. 1892, for the paving and improving of said portion of said street, including labor, material and all other matters necessary to make the same.

All bidders will be required to furnish six samples each of the top and bottom brick to be used in paving before the bid will be considered. The quality of the material with the price per square yard will be considered together in determining the lowest and best bidder. All samples of brick to be used shall be filed with the city clerk and properly designated.

A bond or certified check in the sum of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council which conform to all requirements, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated October 18, A. D. 1892.

L. F. SKELLEY,
oct18-d1d City Clerk.

Administrator's Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction at the west door of the court house, Decatur, Illinois,

Saturday, the 5th day of November next,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 p. m., the personal property belonging to the estate of Robert Green, deceased, consisting in part of the following articles, to-wit: "Harper's Weekly," bound and unbound from and including A. D. 1860 to July 25, 1892; some old clothes hats and caps; bed and bedding; bedstead and springs; two sewing machines; oil stove and old cooking utensils.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash.

JEROME B. GORIN,
Administrator Estate Robert Green, Deceased
Decatur, Illinois, October 7, 1892.—d&w

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

Our Immense Stock of

NEW SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

The Very Best that's Produced.

You can please yourself at our establishment.

Our Matchless Long-Cut Box Overcoats,

In Black, Meltons, Kerseys and Friezes, at $15. Perfect-fitting, Double and Single Breasted.

—OUR LINE OF—

Overcoats and Ulsters

At $10, $12, $15, $18, $20, $25 and and $30, are about the right kind.

BOYS' Department.

SUITS, OVERCOATS, ULSTERS.

All the proper kind, at the LOWEST PRICES, can be had of us.

☞ WE GIVE GRATIS with each Knee Pant Suit a Beautiful Large Size BRASS DRUM.

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Masonic Temple Block, Corner of Water and William Streets

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FURNITURE

You are invited to inspect the most complete stock of

Rocking Chairs,
Fancy Odd Pieces,
Parlor Cabinets,
Chamber Sets,
Sideboards,
Dining Tables and Chairs

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A Sure and Complete Cure for Piles, consisting of Japanese Ointment, Capsules, also in Lozenges Pills, a Positive Cure for Internal, Internal, Blind or Bleeding, Itching, Chronic, Recent or Hereditary Piles. This Remedy has never been known to fail. Sent by mail, $1 per box, six for $5 by mail. Only sold from this terrible Cure which we guarantee to positively Cure Six Boxes, for $5, to refund the money if Cure not effected. Send stamp for free Sample. Guaranteed by A. H. Hale, druggist, 239 North Water Street, Decatur, Ill. mar25-d&wtf

WEST'S LIVER PILLS Sweetly Coated Liver Compound, Dr. Jno. Bull's Celebrated Medication. Sold by All Druggists

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, by the Clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of George H. Wood, vs. H. Smith, L. Clendenin and R. Clendenin, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to wit: Lots (25), in block (1) A. Wood's addition of outlots to the city of Decatur, Illinois, also the number (1) of the subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section (16), town sixteen (16) north, and range two (2) east of the 3d P. M., and all the property of the said L. H. Kincaid, which I shall offer at public sale at the foot of Brown's Scarrow landing, in the circuit court house, Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

Dated at Decatur, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1892.

PETER PERL, Sheriff Macon County.
H. Haney Mooney, Deputy. oct15-d3t

WM. P. CUSHING,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC

Will draw deeds, mortgages and do all kinds of conveyancing, will also examine abstracts of title and promptly attend to any and all legal business entrusted to him.

☞ Will loan money on good city and farm real estate. OFFICE—Over Smith & Baldwin's store, No. 157 N. Water Street.

W. P. CUSHING. d&wtf

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On hand for all classes of loans. A full line of Insurance and bargains in Real Estate. We have city additions and farms in the west; also good acre property adjoining growing cities near Decatur, suitable for platting. All classes of investments. Negotiable paper bought and sold. Come and see us. 160 Merchant Street

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CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

North side of Old Square, Decatur,

MAKING TRACKS FOR SCHOOL.

That's what the boys and girls of Decatur and vicinity are doing now and during the rainy weather and muddy streets common at this time of the year, they need a first-class article in foot-wear to meet the emergency. Our school shoes are durable, waterproof, well-fitting, warm and comfortable. Try them. From 75c to $2.00 a pair.

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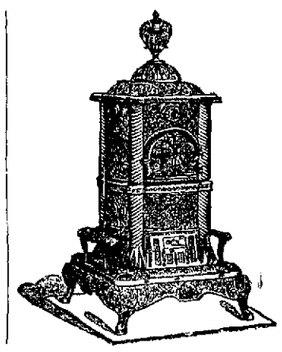
Soft Coal Line that Knocks the Oak Out.

Positively Air-Tight.
Holds Fire 24 Hours.
Heats from 1 to 4 Rooms.
From 12 to 18 in. fire pots.
Shaking and Draw Center Grate.
Once Polished Lasts a Season.
A Heavy Cannon Stove with Fancy Network Jacket.
Most Durable Stove Made.
Don't Fail to Examine Both Stove and Price.



Kerosene Oil Heating Stoves a Specialty.

C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.,

161 East Main Street.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of side walks provided to be constructed according to any and all ordinances of the city of Decatur, Illinois, providing for the construction of sidewalks, and which have not been constructed, and legal notices have been served, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of November A. D. 1892, for the construction of such sidewalks.

The contractor will be required to construct such sidewalks strictly according to the plans and specifications contained in the ordinances relating thereto and will be required to furnish all labor and material necessary to construct same.

The contractor will be required to enter into a contract with proper and necessary covenants, provisions and limitations, to construct such sidewalks and will be required to give a good and sufficient bond in an amount to be fixed by the city council.

The contractor will be paid for the construction of such sidewalks out of and by the special taxes provided by said ordinances to be levied and assessed for constructing same in the manner provided by said ordinances, and the statute in such case made and provided.

A bond or certified check in the sum of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated October 18th, A. D. 1892.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received at the County Clerk's Office at Decatur, Illinois, until 12 o'clock on the 10th day of November, 1892, for furnishing combination fixtures for lighting the new court house, in accordance with schedule now in clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. BUILDING COMMITTEE.

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D. L. Bunn. Edwin Park.

BUNN & PARK.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

OFFICE—Front rooms over Decatur National Bank, Decatur, Ill.

Special attention to Real Estate and Loans negotiated and Real Estate bought and sold.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the erection and construction of a building for the housing and use of the filter plant, contracted for by the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk from the date hereof until three o'clock p. m. of Monday, the seventh day of November, A. D. 1892.

That said building will be required to be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection and approval of said city. That said building will be required to be constructed at a location to be selected by said city council at or near the public water works of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required to erect and construct such building, together with all matters pertaining thereto. The contractor will be paid for same, in compliance with a resolution pertaining thereto, passed by the city council of said city on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1892.

The city council reserves the right to permit the water fund flight committee of said council to open and examine any and all bids, after three o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of November, A. D. 1892, for the purposes of said committee making a report of all bids received to the city council of said city.

All bids, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated October 18th, A. D. 1892.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Edward O. Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Edward O. Smith, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the January A. D., 1893 term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1892.

DAVID S. SHELLABARGER. Administrator.

Oct25-d3t

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 2, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

TO-NIGHT—"Spider and Fly."

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417.

Try Powers for Good Boys' Shoes.

THE Grand Army Post held it regular meeting last night.

Save 10 to 25 per cent on underwear at Anthony & Webb's.

FINEST FRUITS in the city for canning or table use at John Finn's. sept29-dtf

Now is the time to buy blankets cheap. ANTHONY & WEBB.

THE line of march for Saturday night appears in another column. It will not be changed.

WE have only a few more of those fine trunks left. The price makes them go. o21dtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

You will always find good groceries at Philip Kemper's store on North Water street. No. 757.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

☞ You know it. "The Spider and the Fly" will be at the Grand to-morrow night.

THOSE who have failed to register may swear in their votes on election day if they are legal voters.

FRESH OYSTERS, in bulk or can, direct from Baltimore, at John Finn's. Telephone 341. sept29-dtf

THE Salvation Army people are arranging to hold a state convention in Decatur on November 15 and 16.

SELECT family groceries and fresh country butter at Hanks & Co.'s handy store, 143 South Water street.

DON'T FAIL to see the line of Hats which we are closing out this week without regard to cost. CHEAP CHARLEY.

REMEMBER the parade Nov. 5, and get your lanterns, flags and colored fires of the H. Mueller Gun Co. 1-d6t

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

HARRISON and Cleveland flags all sizes cheaper than ever to close out stock. H. Mueller Gun Co. 1-d6t

DON'T forget to attend the Plumber's Ball election night, Nov. 8. Goodman's full band and opera orchestra in attendance. 1-d6

AN elegant line of canned goods, fresh butter and eggs on sale every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in the Syndicate Block. dtf

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. s8dtf

IN Justice Hammer's court last evening in the civil case of George K. Morgan vs. J. C. Hines & Co. for $51 debt, the suit was dismissed. An appeal will probably result.

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

ARE you thinking of buying a suit or overcoat? If so, don't buy before you have seen what Cheap Charley has in store for you.

THERE are no better pianos on earth than the celebrated Haines Uprights, the Everetts and Sterlings, on sale only at C. E. Prescott's music store on North Water street.

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company has been moved to No. 260 North Main street, Syndicate Block with Armstrong Bros. d6t

THE Democratic clubs will go to Niantic to-night. The speakers will be Hardin W. Masters of Chicago, J. M. Graham of Springfield, and L. B. Stringer of Lincoln.

GENT'S Neckwear, Gent's Woolen Shirts, Gent's Underwear, Suspenders and Half Hose, all at reasonable prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. s8dtf.

CHOICE apples, peaches and grapes can be had in any quantity at May & Churchman's model grocery store in the Syndicate Block, North Main street. 27-dtf

☞ MOTHERS, don't dress your child in cheap, shoddy clothing, when you can buy all-wool suits at Cheap Charley's for what other dealers charge for shoddy.

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS—the newest improved patterns, and the most reliable sweepers in the market—for sale at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s. d&w

POINTED evidence of the growth of the J. L. Thayer steel roofing business is the fact that a large addition is being built to the factory, giving more floor space and utilizing part of the old building for machinery and storage. Mr. Thayer has managed the new industry wisely and well. It is a success.

J. J. Jacobs has a first-class barber shop and bath rooms, first door east of Dr. Stoner's drug store on South Park street, where excellent service will be given the public at all times. Give Mr. Jacobs a call for a good shave or haircut. jan14-dtf

OWING to the rain and mud the Republican meeting booked for last night in Austin township was postponed. The speakers were to have been I. R. Mills and W. F. Calhoun. In order to have reached the place of meeting they would have had to ride across the country from Latham seven miles.

SOCIALLY.

Two Delightful Gatherings Last Evening.

The members of the Fortnightly Club were entertained in a most hospitable manner last evening by Miss Ella Race at her home on North Water street. Drive Whist was the diversion of the evening. There were souvenirs of different colors, and as each point was won small silver and gold bells were hung on these souvenirs. The ladies' prize was a silver cologne bottle. The one offered the gentlemen was a silver photograph frame. There were on each table flowers which were given as favors. At 10:30 a dainty collation was served on the card tables. It included salads, coffee, ices, cream and cake. The tables were artistically decorated with different colored flowers, and partners were selected by means of little rings tied with ribbons to match the flowers. The young ladies composing the club are Misses Sarah and Lonie Boyd, Afethea Faller, Durfee, Mabel Durfee, Howell, Luetta Ullrich, Eyman, Marian Ewing, Voorhies, Race. There were invited last night as guests of the club Miss Moses and Miss Ethel Moses, of St. Louis; Messrs. and Mesdames G. D. Thomas, L. L. Race, Dr. William Barnes, Frank Curtis; and L. E. Eyman, G. J. Parke, E. G. Powers, F. Powers, H. L. Oldham, W. S. Ennis, J. T. Roberts, H. L. Prather, H. L. Broughton of St. Louis, J. W. Race, jr., Will Linn, B. Bradley, A. C. Race, L. C. Shellabarger.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

Miss Margaret Roberts gave a New England Hallowe'en party last night in honor of Miss Vance of New York. The word New England in the name of the party is intended to convey the idea of old fashioned. Instead of gas, candles were used. After the company had assembled, the gentlemen and ladies in separate rooms, partners were selected by choosing flowers from large clusters in two different bowls. There were just two roses, two violets, and so on. Then there were anglings in couples for favors, fortune telling, old fashioned dances, and other amusements that our grandmothers enjoyed, and some they did not know of. Supper was served at 10:30. First came pumpkin pie, followed by doughnuts and coffee, apples and nuts. The apple seeds were all carefully saved and used to unveil the future. The parlors were decorated with chrysanthemums. The guests were Misses Vance, of New York; Lucy Roberts, Annie Rainey, Eve Hammer, Anna Strohm, Bess Voorhies, Carrie Griswold, Grace Shellabarger, Lola Montgomery, Eugenia Harris, Alice Boring, Nell Schroeder, Josie Harwood, Kate Harwood; Messrs. Leo Heilbrun, Dr. J. D. Moore, Mr. Parker, Thad Schroeder, Bob Hays, Will Hammer, Will Pluck, Murray Millikin, Joe Perkins, Kyle Bohon, Linn Blackstone, Late Shellabarger, Dr. J. W. McKinnon and Dick Roberts.

Worth Remembering.

If Cleveland is elected the Democrats will also elect both branches of Congress and will then be able to tear the protective tariff to pieces at their own own will. Every voter should remember this and not vote thinking that the senate will be Republican and that, therefore, the Democrats could not pass a free trade tariff law. Workingmen and mechanics who receive work on account of the demand created for labor by protection which increases business, should bear this in mind. They should also remember that up to date no democratic orator, no democratic newspaper, nor Grover Cleveland, nor Adlai E. Stevenson has yet explained how free trade, which is intended to open our market to foreign goods, made by foreign labor which American labor is now making for this market will benefit the American laboring man, or why such a policy can be enforced without throwing our workmen out of employment. Free trade has always made idle American workmen and it always will. It has always made hard times and has always increased the price of the necessaries of life, and will do it again if adopted.

Under Control Again.

Last night Officer Williamson was called to the corner of East Wood and Broadway to take charge of Carl Freundt, the cigarmaker, who has been in custody on a former occasion, for beating his wife. He repeatedly whipped her, and was finally charged with insanity. He was tried but the jury pronounced him sound, and after remaining in jail he was discharged. He became unruly last night and assaulted his wife and daughter. Then he was in the act throwing his wife and child through a window, when neighbors interfered and Williamson was called. Freundt was found wrapped in a quilt and lying upon the floor. He was almost carried to the jail. He claimed to be ill. It is generally understood that Freundt is off mentally and should be given skilled treatment. Another inquisition may be held.

Normal Will Be In It.

Normal will send a big delegation to Decatur Saturday night, to unite with the Bloomington crowd. Normal Republicans have displayed a most commendable enthusiasm throughout the campaign, and they expect to make their last begira the largest. A low excursion rate will be secured and plenty of fine music will be taken along.—*Bloomington Leader.*

Winter is Coming.

Wild geese are flying south. A large and voiceful flock were seen passing over the city this morning, making a bee line for the sunny lands. This is generally regarded as a sure sign of the approach of cold weather, and if it is to be interpreted literally it would seem to show that an early winter is imminent.

Irish

Belleek in all the new and fancy shapes of cups and saucers, bonbon trays, individual salts, pitchers, sugars, creamers etc. We want you to see this line. They are beautiful goods and are selling rapidly. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

On Record.

To satisfy ourselves and others of the actual value of Powers' $3 Gentlemen's Fine Shoes we sent a pair to the shoe factory. Mr. Heuver and his head cutter report, after examination, that better shoes for service cannot be produced for $6.00. Oct. 21-d&wtf

We Clean

And repair furnaces and put them in first-class shape for the winter.

LITTLE & ECKLES HARDWARE CO.

s8-d4wtf

REGISTRATION 5748.

There will be a Big Vote on Tuesday, November 8.

The Figures by Districts in Decatur Township—Big Increase.

The judges of election in the eleven districts of Decatur township continued business yesterday, the second and last day for registration, until 9 o'clock at night, and the total registration is 5748, an increase of 1628 over the presidential vote in Decatur in 1888. The registration by districts was as follows, the first column giving the 1892 registration, the second column the number of women registered, and the other two columns the vote in '88 and '90:

	Total	Women	1888	1890
First	519	12	287	325
Second	345	12	203	263
Third	700	37	440	415
Fourth	703	90	464	445
Fifth	560	35	428	428
Sixth	514	19	319	330
Seventh	423	18	327	340
Eighth	482	28	359	339
Ninth	739	16	447	490
Tenth	463	17	337	375
Eleventh	352	15	270	232
Totals	5748	299	3831	3829

Still it is known that a number of voters in each district did not have their names put on the poll books. They will have to swear in their votes on election day.

On this registration on the basis of estimates made by Charles O. Ebel, publisher of the city directory, Decatur has a population to-day of nearly 26,000.

County Clerk Hardy has sent off after more booths to be used at the polling places. In the ninth district eight booths will be required.

That Birthday Voter.

A Decatur morning paper states that a young man whose 21st birthday comes the day after election cannot vote at the coming election. This is incorrect and misleading. The facts are that one under those conditions is entitled to vote. The courts have so held universally and always. Following is a sample of these decisions:

"Full age is attained on the beginning of the day next preceding the twenty-first anniversary of birth. Thus, if a person were born at any hour on the first day of January A. D. 1891 (even a few minutes before 12 o'clock of the night of that day), he would be of full age at the first instant of the 31st of December A. D. 1821 although nearly forty-eight hours before he had actually attained the full age of 21 according to years, days, hours and minutes, because there is not in law, in this respect, any fraction of a day; and it is the same thing whether a thing is done upon one moment of a day or another.—*American and English Encyclopaedia of Law vol. 10, p. 614 and authorities there cited; also Bouvier's Law Dictionary vol. 1, p. 705.*

Haverly's Minstrels.

Since the earliest history of the natives of Africa they have been conceded to be the most comical combination of wit, comicality and song of any discovered nation; but to discover white-faced comedians capable of impersonating these curious people in word, action and song has been an achievement hard to realize. That such men can be found though has been proven by Col. J. H. Haverly, who succeeded in forming such a company of gentlemen some twelve years ago, and that the public are pleased with his choice is evinced by the large business he has done with the organization both in this country and in Europe. The people of Decatur are to have an opportunity of witnessing this great company of artists at the Grand on Friday night. Many novel ties will be introduced at the performance. Haverly always presents new features, new jokes and new songs.

Woman's Club.

The Evening Division of the Woman's Club invites all members of the club to spend Friday evening, Nov. 4th, with Whittier and them. The regular business meeting of the club will be held on Saturday, Nov. 5, at 2:30 p. m. A proposed amendment to the constitution is to be considered; also the feasibility of a course of University Extension lectures. A full attendance is desired.

MRS. R. G. WELLS, Pres't.
MRS. E. C. PHILBROOK, Sec. 2-d2

The Sunday Concert.

Tickets are going rapidly for the concert treat to be given at the Grand next Sunday afternoon by 100 talented musicians forming the incomparable Gilmore Band. The splendid organization will arrive from Freeport, Ill., 175 miles away, Sunday forenoon, and the music will be heard at 2 p. m. Sunday. Plan to hear the music and the singing by the vocalist. See ad for prices.

Reciprocity

is a fair exchange in which neither party has any advantage over the other. This is our position with you. We will give you your money's worth in anything you buy from us. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

"That Boy of Mine."

Prof Vaught, the great phrenologist can tell you how to govern him and what to educate him for. Office 107, West Side Lincoln Square. nov1-d1w

To Whom it May Concern.

I, A. M. Priest, on October 31, 1892, will start a team for hauling coal through my agent, John Priest. 29-1w*

A Cholera Scare.

A reported outbreak of cholera at Helmetta, N. J., created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helmetta, says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa remedy has given great satisfaction in the most severe cases of dysentery. It is certainly one of the best things ever made." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

Turner Suits.

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

AT a recent New York reception the wedding cake of the bride's mother was served. It had been kept for that purpose, wrapped in brandied paper in a tin box

BUT WE WILL NOT SEE IT.

There will be a Total Eclipse of the Moon on Friday.

Next Friday there will be a total eclipse of the moon from 9:30 to 11:07 a. m., but night's queen being then below the horizon the eclipse will not be visible here. However, the obscuration begins very early in the morning and early risers may see its commencement before the moon sets. The moon will dip into the earth's shadow just a little more than enough to make the eclipse total.

This is the last eclipse of 1892, and it is the last eclipse of the moon that will occur until March, 1894. Next year the sun will be eclipsed in April and October, but the moon will entirely escape obscuration for nearly a year and a half. This is a noteworthy circumstance, although it is not extraordinarily rare. Such intervals happen two or three times in the course of the eighteen-year eclipse period.

READY FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Diamonds, Watches and Princely Jewels at Harpstrite's.

As in the past, E. J. Harpstrite, the enterprising young jeweler at 146 East Prairie street, is prepared to serve his old patrons and the people generally with gems of beautiful diamonds, standard watches and jewelry generally at his store which is so centrally located in the Ullrich Block on the way to the postoffice. Mr. Harpstrite carries a large and varied stock of precious stones and watches, and makes special selections of novelties for the holiday season, now close at hand. It will delight you and pay you to step in at Harpstrite's store. All will be welcome, and orders will be taken now for goods to be supplied during the holidays. 2-d6

"Spider and Fly."

The Grand should be crowded tonight to greet the appearance of Leavitt's improved, enlarged and reconstructed edition of the popular spectacular and pantomimic production, "Spider and Fly." This place can certainly be classed as a distinct novelty, containing as it does the brightest features of spectacle, pantomimic, comedy, opera and high-class vaudeville.

The costumes have been lavishly supplied. The scenery, electric and mechanical effects are all new and said to be magnificent. The company numbers sixty people, and were mostly recruited abroad, though the several American artists, who were prominent in last season's cast, have been re-engaged. The chorus will be unusually attractive; numerous novelties have been added, and the music, songs and specialties are all new. Jaguarina, the famous swordswoman, is the latest feature secured for the "Spider and Fly."

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

LA PLACE.

A splendid rain fell in this vicinity yesterday and last night. Last night was Hallowe'en and from the appearance of our burg the boys were pretty busy.

Al Griswell has been on the sick list for the past few days, but is again able to be out.

Little Albert Wolf who had his arm broken about a week ago, is getting along fine.

George Showalter got his arm caught in a belt on his clover, huller one day last week and the arm was broken in two places and the flesh badly bruised and torn. Dr. W. C. Bowers attended him.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Gunkle spent last week with his wife's brother, near Bennett.

W. W Gunkle, of Atwood, was here Monday assisting his father in decorating the interior of the new church.

Miss Anna Butler is visiting friends and relatives in Memphis, Tenn.

Rev. Jeffries is holding a revival at the M. E. church in this place.

The Hon. Owen Scott will deliver an address for the benefit of Democracy, in the town hall tonight; and on Friday night W. F. Calhoun, of the REPUBLICAN, will present the other side. Everybody come, especially Friday night.

The New Light church in this place will be dedicated on the third Sundry of the present month.

Seventeen warrants were sworn out before 'Squire Fleck this morning for last night's work. The charges are destroying property and disturbing the peace.

Wedgewood Ware.

We have just received a nice line of this famous ware, and being an import order given early in the year, we are able to place it before you for less money than ever before shown in this city.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

City News—Confidential.

For every hundred cents invested at *Abel's Carpet and Wall Paper House* last week in Carpets, Linoleums, Oil-Cloths, Mattings, and Wall Papers, each customer carried off more than a Dollar's worth; owing to the liberal patronage last week, we have decided to continue *Bargain-Day Sale* for one more week, beginning Monday Oct. 17th. Confining our trade to Dagestan, Byzantine, Saracene, Kubisi Furs and Smyrna Rugs.

Brussels, Irish Points, Tambour, Nottingham and Chenelle Curtains. d&w

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur postoffice, Oct. 18, 1892

Alston, Frank.	Birdsall, J L.
Breed, A.	Clay, Manuel, (2).
Elliott, Joe L.	Bagstrom, Wm.
Radicout, Wm M.	Hess, Isaac.
Hall, Theo.	Latsham, John.
Inogle, A N.	Stotts, Jesse.
Taggart, C M.	Converse, Lena.
Crosthwait, Fannie.	Ellston, Madge.
Fish, Mary.	Freundt, Emilie.
Hunt, J D.	Jackson, Cora.
Kull, Kate.	Wentz, Rebecca.
	Watson, J B.

J. T. HUBBARD, Postmaster.

Prominent Weddings

will always call for wedding presents and you will find that if you consult your own interest you will not fail to visit our store which is filled with new and beautiful goods. Every department is replendent with elegant productions in the several lines they represent.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrah or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon. For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,

Wall Paper and Room Mouldings

—COMPETENT—

Paper Hangers and Frescoers.

125 East William Street, Opposite Library Block.

—AT—

JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

+CLOAKS+

We've been so busy selling Jackets, Wraps and Cape Newmarkets the 1st few days that it seems that everybody wants to buy our Garments It is apparent we're giving the best values as our sales have jumped to more than double a year ago We send out only nice fitting garments, as we know every one is an advertisement. Splendid fitting garments at

$5, $7, $7.50, $10, $12.50, $15, and $25.

See our Sealette and Plush Sacques at $12 50, $15, $19.50, $22 50, $25, the best values in town.

NOTICE.—We will save any Cloak for anyone who wishes to make payments on same.

+DRESS GOODS.+

Don't forget that we are showing some of the best values in Dress Goods shown in Decatur. Camel's Hair Suit Patterns at $1.95. Storm Serge Dress Patterns at $3.95. French Novelty Suit Patterns, elegant goods, at $10, $12.50, 15, and $20.

BLANKETS at 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00, to $12.50 per pair.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

THE GREAT

REMODELING

SALE

Is Still Going On

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

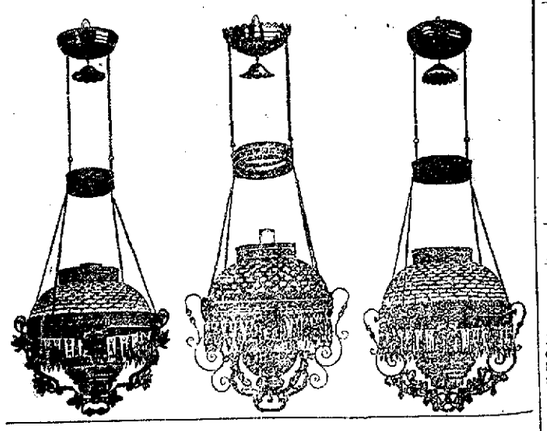
The way in which the people are taking advantage of the sale conclusively proves that the people of Decatur and the surrounding country are fully awake to their own interests, and know a GOOD THING when they see it.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS

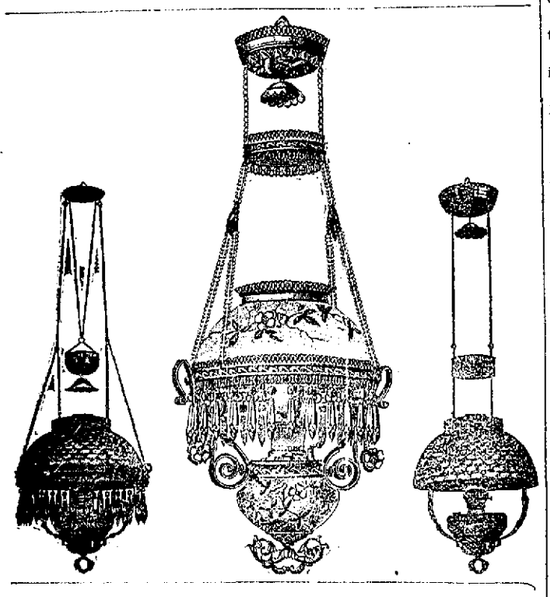
will be offered this week in

HEAVY SUITS and OVERCOATS.

CHEAP + CHARLEY.



WHEN you look at our stock of HANGING LAMPS you will say as all others do, "The Handsomest line in Decatur," and at prices lower than ever offered.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Second Floor, China Department.

GEO. W. JONES & CO.

SEE OUR CHILDREN'S SUITS

at $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 up to $5.00

See Our MEN'S OVERCOATS

At $6 to $25.

THE CHEAPEST to the BEST MADE. Fit well.

Our line of CLOTHING IS COMPLETE. Give us a look on all Men's, Boys' and Children's apparel. The PRICES THE LOWEST for good made clothing

GEO. W. JONES & CO.,

4 Doors West of Post Office.

1892—1855—37

Sugar-cured Boneless BREAKFAST BACON and HAMS, free from cloth or paper wrappings.

Imboden Bros.

DAILY REPUBLICAN

WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 2, 1892.

FRESH OYSTERS

—AT—

WOOD'S.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hanging Lamps.

140 different styles of Library Lamps, BY ACTUAL COUNT, is what we show on our first and second floors. It is folly for any one to try and match us either in assortment or prices. We sell them from $1.50 to $10.00 each.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417.

Try Powers' Good School Shoes.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dtf

THE "Spider and Fly" organization at the Grand to-night.

THE Republican drum corps will practice to-morrow night.

THE rain ceased falling last night, but it is cold and raw to-day.

THE PALACE leads for oysters and lunch. Syndicate Block.

THE election instructions and sample ballots were posted to-day.

500 dozen mens and boys work gloves to be sold cheap. ANTHONY & WEBB.

WE can accommodate ten more day boarders. Palace, Syndicate block.

Headquarters for nice fitting corsets. ANTHONY & WEBB.

COURT will convene again on November 10th to dispose of cases on the dockets.

DON'T forget that the polls will open Tuesday Nov. 8 at 7 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

AT Moawequa yesterday M. Schneider, the founder of the town, passed away.

SMOKE the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars and you will be happy all the time.

PREPARE to fall in line Saturday night in the Republican parade. "Are You Ready?"

GET flags and bunting and decorate for Saturday afternoon and night—Republican day.

CLINTON Republicans will have their big rally to-night. Bloomington will be there in full force.

YESTERDAY Richard M. Powell, city engineer at Taylorville, died of a congestive chill, aged 45 years.

THE favorite smokers all the time are the celebrated Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by Joseph Miehl.

THE finest diamonds and watches in the city are on sale at E. J. Harpstrite's store, 146 East Prairie street. 2-d6

WANTED—Traveling salesmen to handle parlor goods on commission. Call on H. Tay, 243 and 247 South Water street. 29-d6

UNDER the new law the voter should go and vote early. Much trouble and disappointment will be avoided by so doing.

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

TO-NIGHT Vaught will mate another couple at his phrenological parlor, and if the minister is there no doubt there will be a wedding.

TIME saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

C. T. JOHNSTON, the Decatur dry goods merchant, has announced a large cloak opening for November 11th at his Blue Mound store.

THIS afternoon in the county court Carl Frenodt, on complaint of his wife, will be subjected to another inquisition as to his alleged insanity.

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

Ladies street suits at a bargain. ANTHONY & WEBB.

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5-dtf

PROF. VAUGHT has made over 25,000 phrenological examinations during the past fourteen years. He can tell you what to follow to make the best success.

THE meeting of the Baptist Aid Society, which was put off on account of the rain, will be held at the residence of Mrs. Scruggs Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m.

A NEW line of stamped linens just received. ANTHONY & WEBB.

IT is confidently expected that the required $90,000 will be raised to secure the Commercial Rolling Mill. Get that mill and it will send factories running to Decatur.

PERSONS whose 21st birthday comes the day after the election are legal voters on the day of election, according to the decision of the courts. This has been the law always.

THE E. J. Harpstrite jewelry store, 146 East Prairie street, is the place to leave orders for holiday goods. Make your selections in advance. No trouble to show the goods. 2-d6

THE Roney Concert company of Chicago will give one of their unique entertainments on the evening of November 22, 1892, at the First M. E. church. Look out for further notice.

THE march mapped out for Saturday night is about two miles long. It is made as short as possible, but the route is through the principal streets of the city—all over paved streets.

CHAS. H. SWIFT has been appointed passenger and ticket agent of the Wabash, at Springfield, Ill. John J. Sim is appointed chief dispatcher and district operator of the first and second districts, with office at Peru, Ind.

DURING the past week J. A. Meriweather has made important improvements at his residence property on West Main street. As soon as the weather will permit the painters will make the house shine with a new dress.

BIG RALLY SATURDAY.

Closing Republican Meeting in Decatur—The Line of March.

Senator Cullom, Hon. M. R. Powers and Others will Address the People.

The chief marshal for Saturday, Nov. 5th, in Decatur, when the Republicans of Decatur and Macon county will have the closing political demonstration of the '92 campaign, will be Major F. M. Young. The major will be in full charge of the parade demonstrations and will have efficient assistants.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

The line of march, which will not be altered under no circumstances, will be as follows:

The column will form at 7 o'clock at the old court house on Water street, with the right resting on East Main street.

The column will move east on Main street to Franklin, north on Franklin to William street, east on William to Morgan street, north on Morgan to Eldorado, west to Main with right resting on North Main street, to remain until incoming delegations arrive to form on the left, then the column will move south on North Main street to North street, west on North to Church street, south on Church to Prairie avenue, west on Prairie avenue to Pine street, south on Pine to West Main street, east on Main to Water street where the column will disband.

DECORATE.

Republicans and others residing on the line of march will decorate in handsome style for Saturday night. They are again assured that there will be no change in the line of march. Major Young desires this fact to be emphasized.

NOTES.

Major Badenhausen will be in charge of the railroad division of the procession, the clubs which arrive on the incoming trains.

F. B. Mueller and B. Z. Taylor will have charge of the fireworks display and will see that the illumination is in keeping with Decatur's enviable reputation in that line.

Senator Cullom will speak in the afternoon at the wigwam, and there may also be speaking at the court house at the same hour, 2:30 o'clock.

All delegations from towns in Macon county and in towns outside of the county will report at once to Major Young for assignment in the column.

The route for the march covers 35 blocks, a fraction over two miles.

COMING 2000 STRONG.

Bloomington *Pantagraph:* Arrangements are progressing finely for the Decatur rally Saturday. The Bloomington Republicans will turn out at least 2,000 strong for that night, provided a satisfactory rate is made. The committee on transportation have every assurance of an extremely low rate there and it is quite certain that it can be obtained.

Resigned His Pastorate.

Rev. H. O. Hoffman, the pastor of the Independent church here, has resigned the pastorate of his church, the resignation to take effect January 1, next. For some time past Mr. Hoffman's health has been failing, and it is for this reason that he offers his resignation. During his recent visit to the west his health was much improved, and it is understood that he and his wife may possibly decide to make their future home in the west.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

THE four Mackey lines show and increase in earnings the third week of October of $7,439, as follows. The Evansville and Terre Haute, $25,726, an increase this year of $1014; the Evansville and Indianapolis, $7,732, an increase this year of $247; the Louisville, Evansville and St Louis, $38,712, an increase this year of $3551; the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville, $17,854, an increase this year of $2,527.

THE Republicans of Pleasant View township had a big rally at Blue Mound last night, despite the molemency of the weather. Preparations for a torchlight parade had been made, but owing to the mud the march was declared off. Col. J. M. Clokey addressed a large audience in the hall and his excellent speech was heartily applauded.

New Locomotives.

The Wabash railroad today received two new locomotives from the Rhode Island Locomotive works, at Providence, R. I., for use on the Detroit and Chicago extension. They are beauties and were admired by large numbers of people at the depot today. They carry the numbers 415 and 416.

Death of Mrs. Schneider.

Mrs. Marguerite Schneider died about 6 o'clock yesterday evening at her home in Moweaqua, of old age. Mrs. Schnieder was an old settler of Shelby county and belonged to one of the influential families. She was the mother of D. Schnieder, and Mrs. T. C. Ponting.

IT is expected that a party of Decatur Republicans will leave on the 5 o'clock train this evening for Clinton to attend the rally at that place. It was impossible to secure a special train on the Central road, and therefore the proposed trip of the local clubs had to be given up.

IT is given out that the charges made by Ike Runyan against Chief Devore and other members of the fire department will be investigated by Fire Commissioners Cloyd, Bacon and Wells within a week. Possibly the inquiry will be delayed until after the election.

Consoling.

A certain young democrat was the recipient this morning of the following note from a republican young lady friend:

In eight days more 'twill be over. Alas for Adlai! Alas, for Grover!

Will Come to Decatur.

The young colored ladies' marching club, known as the Bloomington Star club, met last evening and made arrangements to come to Decatur on Saturday evening.

THE sale of reserved seats for the Gilmore band concert at the Grand Sunday afternoon will begin at Templeton's pharmacy to-morrow morning. Get your tickets.

THIS afternoon at 3 o'clock A. H. Miller left for Cisco, in Piatt county, where he will address a Republican meeting tonight.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Wayne Wilson went to Monticello to-day.

F. M. Pratt left to-day at noon for Chicago.

Frank Elwood is in Monticello to-day on business.

Mrs. Lucy Haines, of Maroa, is in the city to-day on business.

Supt. John N. Donahey visited Macon to-day on school business.

T. D. Garver of Monticello was a visitor in Decatur yesterday.

Miss Ollie Sweet, of St. Louis, is the guest of Miss Laura Tullis.

E. P. Dawson and niece are visiting relatives in Columbus, Ohio.

W. O. Johns and C. P. Housum departed this noon for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Imboden left this morning for Assumption.

Mrs. L. Eberhart an daughter of Maroa, are in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Allison returned to-day from Winfield, Kansas.

Miss Mattie A. Gorin left to-day for Dallas, Tex., to visit relatives.

W. H. Grindol and Martin Fitzpatrick are at Assumption on business.

M. J. Tangley and W. H. Thain are in Monticello to-day on business.

E. L. Pegram, of Lincoln, transacted business in Decatur yesterday.

Charles Tyler returned this morning from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. M. A. Maxon of Marietta, O., is in the city visiting her son, M. Maxon.

Mrs. H. C. Anthony returned to-day from a visit with relatives in Danville.

Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew and Mrs. Ed Carter returned last evening from Chicago.

F. D. Rixie left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will attend a school of architecture.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, who have been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keefer, departed to-day for their home in Williamsport, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McClure arrived home this morning from Quebec, Canada, where they have been playing engagements. Harvey's home is in the third district, and he will vote the Republican ticket straight on Nov. 8th.

Josh Ogden, the social business manager with the "Spider and Fly" company, paid the REPUBLICAN a call to-day. Josh has been in Decatur a many a time before, and does not hesitate to declare Decatur to be one of the most stirring cities in the west. He says it has grown with marvelous rapidity in the past ten years.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Ten persons are known to have been killed, and thirty others injured, many seriously, in a railway collision this morning near Thisk, England.

Shot a Man.

The festivities which usually surround Hallowe'en were marred at Champaign by a shooting scrape which may cause the death of one young man. It appears that a youth named Ritter, who is employed on the *Times*, thirsted for police honors to such an extent that he importuned Mayor Harris to appoint him as a special for Hallowe'en. According to Mayor Harris' story young Ritter was informed that he could act as watchman to see that no property was destroyed by the festive youths who make depredations on other peoples' property on Hallowe'en and call it fun, but he was told that in no event was he to attempt to make any arrest. Young Ritter seemed to think, however, that he was a sure-enough policeman, and when a young man named Martin saw him decorated with a huge star and proceeded to guy him Ritter promptly whipped out a revolver and shot Martin. The latter's wound is likely to prove fatal.

Sales of Real Estate.

Edward S. Baker to Willis Johnson, sr., the north half of lot 2 in block 1, of Durfee & King's addition to Decatur—$2,500.

Wilbur C. Miller to Thomas Nichols, lot 20 in block 4, in Walnut Grove addition to Decatur—$300.

D. N. Moore to Andrew Heminger, lot 3 in block 1, in John Williams' addition Decatur—$3,500.

A. F. Gephart to A. T. Risley, lot 9 in block 4, in Higgins' addition to Decatur—$1,600.

Ulysses Huston to L. Medora Mitchell, the south 20 acres of the southwest quarter of the northwest of 34, 17, 2 east—$675.

Charles E. Stough to Wingate J. Tally, deed to tract of land in 14, 16, 2 east—$1200.

Robert W. Hight to H. C. Montgomery, quit claim to tract of land in 11, 14, 2 east—$1.00.

Frank P. Roddy to Sue M. Jones, deed to lot 6, block 7, Riverside Place—$550.

Grain Shipments Falling Off.

The heavy grain shipments from the west are commencing to fall off. The railroad men say that shipments are not much more than half as large as they were ten days ago. They look upon the let-up as a good thing, because the elevators and yards are so overcrowded that it will take nearly two weeks to get them cleared. Furthermore a sort of breathing spell is much desired. Operating forces and train crews have been working at such a high tension for the past two months that they need a few weeks' rest. It is thought that as soon as the election is over grain now being held back will commence to move and that the rush will be as great as it has been.

The new method of voting is very simple, provided you can read, and propose to vote a straight ticket. But trouble commences the moment you meander away from your party nominees and begin to scan the other tickets for the name of a friend to oblige by casting a neighborly vote for him. The danger comes from the possibility of marking wrong and exceeding your voting power, especially among the presidential electors and members of the house of representatives. Study the instructions until you are tired, and then let every republican vote straight.

The blatant calamity shriekers are "hoist by their own petard" in striving as they do to prove a fight between capital and labor. Capital is always under cover, and can take care of itself under all circumstances, while labor always wants a market. No friend of a laboring man can consistently attack capital. The "barons of protection" are better friends of labor than are the calamity howlers.

Altgeld bit off more than he could masticate when he sailed into Gov. Fifer on the forced employment of prison labor. The fact that he used prison polished marble in the construction of his Dearborn street building in Chicago is to be investigated by labor organizations.

A "COLUMBIAN RECEPTION" will be held Friday evening, November 4th, at the College Street Chapel of the Presbyterian church. Refreshments will be served free. All are cordially invited to attend.

MEMBERS of the "Spider and Fly" company are at the St. Nicholas and Ho-

BOLD TRAIN ROBBERY

On the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad.

EXPRESS AND U. S. MAIL CARS RIFLED

A Retreat Under Fire with the Spoils—The Robbers Pursued by Government and Express Company Detectives—The Chase.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 1.—Full details of the train robbery which occurred on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia road, just south of Piedmont, Ala., at midnight Monday night, were received here to-day.

As the south-bound express was pulling out of Piedmont two masked men quietly boarded the forward platform of the baggage car next to the engine. Two miles down the road, at Patona water tank, and when the train was under full headway they entered the baggage car and covered the baggagemaster with pistols, compelling him to lead them into the express car. Messenger Rogers had heard them coming, and, growing apprehensive, drew his pistol, but the robbers began firing into the top of the car and Rogers was forced to give up.

At the muzzle of pistols they compeled him to open the safe, emptying the contents of it into a bag. The express company says the robbers only got $800. The robbers then marched Rogers and the baggagemaster into the mail car and made the postal clerk throw up his hands. The registered pouches were cut open and their contents emptied into a bag.

The robbers pulled the bell cord as the train neared Dompman's station, and as the train slowed up they backed out of the door and stepped off.

Engineer Green and Conductor Jones became acquainted with the situation about this time and began firing at the robbers, who returned the fire as they fled through the woods. They mounted horses and escaped.

The amount of money that the registered packages contained is not known, but is estimated anywhere from $100 to $3,000.

Two hours later a posse was on the trail of the robbers, and at daylight came up with them twenty miles away in the mountains. A running fight occurred, but so far as is known no one was hurt. The government and the express company detectives have been sent to keep up the pursuit. The robbers are believed to be the same parties who held up the East Tennessee train near Rome, Ga., two months ago.

RUN AMUCK.

An Irish Constable Kills a Sergeant, His Wife and Two Children and Himself.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A horrible tragedy is reported as having occurred at Ballinadrumna, in County Meath, Ireland. It was at first reported that a band of moonlighters had attacked the barracks and murdered a sergeant, a constable and other persons. Later reports, however, show the facts to have been very different. A constable named Pilkington was seized with a homicidal frenzy and went dashing about killing every person he could reach. He murdered Sergeant Rogan and then slew Rogan's wife and two children in a most brutal manner. Pilkington also assaulted several others. He then turned his weapon on himself and committed suicide. The horrible affair has created a profound sensation.

"Nearer, My God, to Thee."

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Sadie Scanlan, a well-known soubrette, sister of Wm. J. Scanlan, the popular Irish comedian, now an inmate of Bloomingdale insane asylum, died suddenly last evening at her home, 322 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Miss Scanlan, or, as she was known in private life, Mrs. Georgie Brennan, had been confined to her bed with a severe cold since last Thursday. Yesterday her husband, who is an actor in her company, left her bedside at 6:30 o'clock, stepping into an adjoining room, where he had been but a moment when he was surprised to hear his wife singing softly to herself. He listened and caught the familiar hymn of "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The actress sang it unfalteringly to the end, her voice softening and dying away until at the last word its melody gave place to a strage rattle. Mr. Brennan hurried to her side. His wife was dead.

Sadie Scanlan was born in Hartford, Conn., in 1867, and was one of four children, none of whom survive but the demented comedian. She was educated at Chicago and studied music under Prof. Franchelli, formerly musical director of the Casino.

Destructive Forest Fires in Indiana.

BROWNSTOWN, Ind., Nov. 1.—Forest fires are raging on the table land four miles south and southwest of here, with a fury that is carrying everything before them. The roar of the flames can be heard in this city, and the heavens are lighted up with a glare that is plainly visible fifty miles away. A light breeze from the southwest brings smoke and heated air constantly over this place, and if continued through the night will doom every particle of fine timber that covers the table lands to destruction. This section of the state has been suffering from a protracted drought and everything is as dry as tinder. The table lands where the fires are raging are the best wooded parts of the county and contain much valuable timber, in fact, the best of the original forests, which has been preserved on account of its rapidly increasing value. Unless checked by a heavy shower the fire will feed upon the timber till it is all destroyed, having got such headway that it would be useless to attempt to stay it with usual agencies. The loss can hardly be estimated at this time, but will reach perhaps $100,000.

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CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 2, 1892.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Nov	70⅝	70⅝	69⅞	70⅛
Dec	71¾	71¾	71⅛	71⅜
May	77⅛	77⅛	77	77⅛
CORN—				
Nov	41⅞	41⅞	41	41⅛
Dec	41⅞	41⅞	41⅛	41⅝
May	45⅝	45¾	45¼	45⅝
OATS—				
Nov	29¾	30⅛	29¾	30⅛
Dec	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞	31⅛
May	33⅞	33⅞	33⅛	33⅛
PORK—				
Nov	11 15	11 42	11 15	11 42
Jan	12 67	12 90	12 57	12 90
LARD—				
Nov	7 80	7 97	7 75	7 97
Jan	7 25	7 40	7 25	7 40
RIBS—				
Nov	7 30	....	7 25	7 40
Jan	6 62	....	6 60	6 62

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS

Wheat, all grades, 476.
Corn, all grades, 386.
Oats, all grades, 173.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 270; Corn, 285; Oats, 150:

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 27,000 slow.
Cattle 17,000 steady.

At the Grand.

"Spider and Fly," to-night.

The Sunday Concert.

Tickets are going rapidly for the concert treat to be given at the Grand next Sunday afternoon by 100 talented musicians forming the incomparable Gilmore Band. The splendid organization will arrive from Freeport, Ill., 175 miles away, Sunday forenoon, and the music will be heard at 2 p. m. Sunday. Plan to hear the music and the singing by the vocalist. See ad for prices.

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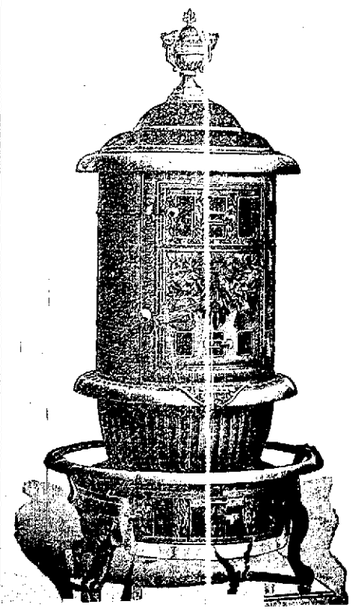

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